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Pregnant pause
The joys of motherhood revisited by women in their late thirties

Catching up US author Joseph Heller talks about his new novel - an Old Testament skit

Capital city Philip Howard wraps himself in the warm and cosy duvet of London

Striking out David Miller talks to Ray Wilkins, the League player bought by Milan for £1 1/2m

Portfolio

The Times Portfolio compe-tition prize was shared by four winners yesterday, Mr Brian Lowe of Reading, Mr Chris-topher Parrot of Bristol, Mr Archie McNab of London, and Mr Gerrard Roots of London each received £1,000 because the previous day's competiton was not won. Portfolio list, page 22. How to play, information service, back page.

The Times

Production difficulties in the press room curtailed printing of yesterday's editions of The Times. We apologize to readers and advertisers who did not receive copies, and to news-agents and distributors who were given late supplies.

Council jobs for contract

Local authorities are to be compelled to contract out to the private sector a wider range of services, including refuse collection, vehicle maintenance and cleaning under legislation her-alded by Mr Patrick Jenkin Secretary of State for the Environment in the debate on the Queen's Speech Parliament, page 4

Ustinov health fears mount

Speculation mounted over the health of Marshal Ustinov, the Soviet Defence Minister, who failed to appear at the annual Red Square military parade where he was due to make an Page 8 important speech



Gandhi inquiry

The Indian Government apsenior security officer, to head an investigation into Indira Gandhi's assassination and announced a big internal intelligence shake-up
Delhi accused, page 9

OPR lose

Queen's Park Rangers were knocked out of the UEFA Cup despite going into their second leg game against Partizan Belgrade with a four-goal lead

Leader page, 15 Letters: On Unesco, from Professor M. Skilbeck, and Mr

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Victorious Reagan says this is the start of everything

President Reagan's huge election vic-tory gives him a powerful mandate for his second term but cross-voting limited his

authority over Congress

His defeated opponent, Mr Walter Mondale will return to a lawyer's life, his political career over. "I never really warmed to television", he said, "nor it to • Democrats actually made gains in the Senate where Senator Charles Percy was the main Republican causalty. Republicans did not gain as many House seats as expected (Page 6)

• The dollar fell despite Reagan's reelection because US interest rates fell. The pound rose 1.1 cents and the sterling index was up 0.3 (Business News, page 17).

From Nicholas Ashford, Washington

Mr Reagan's epic victory over Mr Walter Mondale makes him the most popular President the beginning of everything", he The Thysian Identis in American history; it also makes him one of the strongest.
The huge vote of confidence gives him almost unchallenged

authority to complete the "second American revolution" which he launched when he ook over the White House four Although he did not get the

biggest share of the popular vote in modern US history - it went to President Johnson in 1964 he won the greatest number of electoral votes and drew his support from almost every section of the community.
Unlike President Johnson, he is presiding over a country which is economically buoyant, whose self-confidence is restored and

which is at peace. How he uses this reinforced authority remains to be seen. Although the President said in not the end of anything, this is the beginning of everything", he has been deliberately vague about his plans for a second

He and his aides, however, have made it clear that a continuation of conservative economic policies, the rebuilding of a strong defence and resumption of arms control talks will remain top priorities.

Lists of results, analysis, reaction, pages 6 and 7; leading article, 15; Frank Johnson, 34.

In a post-election press conference in Los Angeles yesterday, Mr Reagan restated his willingness to hold a summit with President Chernenko, "We are prepared to go forward with the arms control talks and I have to believe that the Soviet

ELECTION RESULTS

With 99 per cent of precincts counted, the vote for the presidency was as follows (with electoral college votes in brackets):

Ronald Reagan Walter Mondale

STATE OF THE PARTIES

Governorships New House of Representatives

Mondale

quits

politics

From Trevor Fishlock

St Paul, Minnesota

Mr Walter Mondale said

yesterday his political career was over. Before leaving Min-nesota, for a holiday and

eventual return to a lawyer's

life, he congratulated Mr

Reagan, coolly reviewed the reasons for his own defeat and said: "I knew it was tough from

"I have no plans for seeking

the Presidency or any other elective office again," he said. "I have been in elective office

for most of my adult life and

the time has come to pursue

certain economic interests. My

family has given to me all these years and they are entitled to

something, too." About his campaign, he said

he had not made a convincing

enough case to young Ameri-cans and moderates, and had

not made the case that the

long-term tough problems of our nation could be solved only by a president who masters the

essential details and is in

He added: "I was running

against a popular incumbent in

the midst of what are perceived

as good economic times and

with diminished international

tensions, and with an electorate understandably anxious for

continuity."
The tough Democratic Party

selection processes had helped

him to be a better candidate,

but "we went through a year of party bloodletting, of daily attacks on one another. I hated

the whole process and it left scars that I carried with me through the campaign," he

With a wry smile, he added:

"Politics today requires mas-tery of television. I never really warmed up to TV, and it never

Grasping the microphones set up for his farewell press

conference, he said: "I don't

like these things. I have never

been comfortable with them. I

like to look someone in the eye.

The United Kingdom cereal

harvest, already known to have

far exceeded all previous re-

cords, took on still more astonishing dimensions with an

estimate yesterday by the Ministry of Agriculture that this

year's production will approach

27 million tonnes, (John Young, Our Agricultural Corre-

This compares with an

estimate two months ago of

about 25 million tonnes, and

would represent a 25 per cent

increase on last year's total.

Based on the Ministry's June

census of areas under culti-

spondent writes).

really warmed up to me."

Democrats Republicans Changes

The 73-year-old President's victory over his 57-year-old challenger was bigger than his win over President Carter four years ago, or President Nixon's crushing defeat of Mr George McGavern in 1972,

Mr Reagan captured every state in the Union except Minnesota, Mr Mondale's home base, and the District of Columbia, the nation's predominantly black capital city. He won 525 of electoral college votes compared with only 13

for Mr Mondale. By contrast, Mr McGovern got 17 electoral college votes in 1972.

The President greatly increased his share of the popular vote from 51 per cent in 1980 to 59 per cent. Mr Mondale received 41 per cent and announced yesterday that he would not seek elective office again. He intends to return to again. He intends to return to the practice of law after a Caribbean holiday. The significance of the

President's victory lies in the breadth of support he received from every region and virtually every demographic group. He won among young and old, men and women, Roman Catholics and Protestants; Italian-Americans who might have been expected to vote for Ms Geraldine Ferraro, and voters who share Mr Mondale's Norwegian heritage.

Moscow warned on Nicaragua MiGs

his landslide victory, issued a fresh invitation to the Soviet Union last night to enter arms control talks, but coupled it with a warning that Russia may be about to supply fighter

planes to Nicaragua. CBS television reported that the administration had drawn up plans for aerial attacks on Nicaraguan airfields if the Sandinista government takes delivery of Mig fighters. Mr Reagan said: "I will not comment on any plans of what we might do. Right now we ourselves have been alerted."



President Reagan, celebrated still had under surveillance a Soviet freighter that might be carrying Mig21s to Nicaragua. "But we cannot definitely identify that they have Migs on there, or planes of any kind, but we are keeping a careful watch. I am not going to comment or what might follow."

Such "high-performance craft" were unnecessary and indicated "that they are contemplating being a threat to their neighbours here in the Americas".

Mr Reagan made it clear that

arms control talks with the Soviet Union would be a priority. The Administration was considering whether to appoint a special envoy to keep in touch with the Russians on

arms reduction.
I have to believe that the Soviet Union is going to join us in trying to get together. We have discussed whether they would like to establish some informal channel so we can keep in touch. We have not decided on that",

Administration officials said yesterday that Soviet attack helicopters recently arrived in Continued on back page, col 4

US must act to improve relations, Moscow says

Moscow - Tass yesterday Soviet, which is chaired by Mr said that Mr Reagan's landslide Chernenko, said it hoped the victory put the burden on him to improve East-West relations, by a change for the better in and President Chernenko said the time had come for practical action to ease world tension. Many ordinary Russians also expressed the hope that Mr Reagan would be "softer" in his attitude to the Soviet Union, although some said they feared he would become more anticommunist (Richard Owen

In a telegram of congratu-

Praesicium of the Supreme in Central America.

lations to Mr Reagan, the

7.6, 5.7 and 5.5 tonnes a hectare

respectively, wheat production

is put at 14.93, barley at 11.21

and oats at 0.59 million tonnes.

Much of the additional

production consists of feed

grains, for which the market is

sluggish because of the re-

If all the surplus were to be

duction in livestock numbers.

sold into intervention storage, the estimated cost to the taxpayer would be at least

£600m, exclusive of storage

Ethiopian famine page 10,

grants to farmers page 2

Harvest could weigh in

at 27 million tonnes

charges

relations between the two • THATCHER PROMISE:

Mrs Margaret Thatcher yesterday promised President Reagan Britain's cooperation in meeting the challenge which awaited the West (Henry Stanhope writes). Mr Neil Kinnock the Opposition leader, on the other hand, urged Mr Reagan to use his political strength to work for

who had travelled from Cowley to picket the meeting.

we get more money". Earlier in the day Mr Cure had been chased through the streets of Coventry by strikers nuclear disarmament and peace





Hail from the Chief: The moment of victory

Austin union | chiefs pull back from showdown

By David Felton and Clifford Webb

Union leaders last night appeared to be pulling back from a legal confrontation over the pay strike by 25,000 Austin Rover workers after the secondlargest union declared the nte mofficial.

The decision by the executive of the Amalgamated Union of Engineering Workers, - called into emergency session yester-day - to disown the display of defiance by shop stewards and local officials earlier in the day seeking to continue the strike, caused problems for the more militant Transport and General Workers' Union, which is the

largest at the company, It was not clear what attitude the unin would adopt but it is unlikely to be represented at a High Court bearing today when Austin Rover will inform the court that six unions had refused to obey an order to call off the strikes by 6pm on Tuesday.

The AUEW decision was taken after the electricians' union ordered its 800 members back to work because its policy is not to oppose the 1984 Trades Union Act under which Austin Rover has brought the action. Mr Eric Haimmond, general secretary of the Electrical, Electronic, Telecomunication and Plumbing Union will appear in the High Court today by armbasiza the princip to emphasize the union's willingness to cooperate with

Affidavits sworn by Mr Terry Duffy, president of the AUEW and Mr Ken Cure, the executive member responsible for the motor industry, will be read to the court.

Austin Rover won an order in

the High Court on Monday that the strike which started on Monday, should be called off until a ballot of the 28,000 members had been held.

When news of the union split reached pickets at Longbridge. the biggest plant in the group, there were angry shouts of "let them try. Nobody goes in until

TUC asks Government to call new pit talks By Paul Routledge

Labour Editor

The TUC is renewing its efforts to bring together the National Coal Board and the National Union of Mineworkers for talks at ending the 35week-old coal strike.

After meeting for five and a ialf hours vesterday the TUC "inner cabinet", the finance and general purposes committee, called on the Government to require the NCB to return to meaningful negotiations".
The TUC leaders felt last

night that a direct approach had to be made to the Government to change the terms of reference under which previous, abortive peace discussions have been held. It was not clear whether the NUM had given the go-ahead, for this appeal to

ministers. It was being emphasized in centre and left-wing union circles that the agenda for renewed bilateral talks would have to be altered, taking the discussion away from the fruitless exchanges over words that have bedevilled talks held under the auspic of the Advisory Conciliation and Arbibra-

tion Service. Mr Norman Wilis, general secretary of the TUC, said the mineworkers' union had given a full report on last week's breakdown of negotiations. He added: "I am satisfied that during negotiations a genuine attempt was made by the NUM to reach a negotiated settle-

He was evidently referring to changes in the miners' bargaining position, which the union regards as important but which have been dismissed by the coal board as no more than cosmetic shifts in the hardline strategy of opposition to pit closures.

They further pledged "all possible steps to develop support for the NUM" and for those unions acting in accordance with Congress policy of giving active industrial support in the power stations and transport industries. A joint meeting of transport and electricity supply unions is being

 Twenty-seven miners returned to work amid picket violence and burning barricades at Whittle colliery yesterday Action against trustees, page

Labourcampaign over Belgrano By Anthony Bevins and Richard Evans Mr Michael Heseltine, Sec- should try to kill the controof State for Defence,

Heseltine attacks

denounced Labour's campaign on the lgrano yesterday after an Opposition spokesman sug-gested that one of the logs of HMS Conqueror, which tor-pedoed the Argentine cruiser. had been stolen and destroyed

to protect the Prime Minister. He told the Commons that he had been asked to "come clean" about the sinking of the Belgrane. which sank with the loss of 368 lives on May 2 1982. "Unhesitatingly Idoit," he said.

He added to mounting Conservative cheers: "The decision was taken in order to protect British lives and this House and this country is sick and tired of Labour MPs, for narrow and inexplicable reasons, pursuing a campaign against the national interest." Sir John Biggs-Davison, Conservative MP for Epping Forest, said that the desire to exculpate Argentina and damage the Royal Navy and the nation was part of Labour's "death wish". Earlier, during a two-hour session with the Select

Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Mr Heseltine had rejected a

versy by publishing a White Paper on the sinking.

Mr Heseltine's protest came in direct response to an emergency question about the loss of the Conqueror's log book, disclosed in yesterday's Daily Mirror.

Mr Denzil Davies, Labour's defence spokesman, said that few would believe that it had been lost through gross incom-petence on the part of the Royal Navy. The alternative was that "it had been stolen and maybe destroyed by someone who thinks that details contained in that log book are embarrassing. not only to the Government but to the Prime Minister person-

Mr Heseltine told the House that the log was not important evidence in an examination of the submarine's tactical judgments, but it could be important to potential enemies because it would reveal the disposition of Royal Navy ships and the way in which they negotiated an attack. A board of inquiry is being held into the

Parliament, page 4
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Log-book missed after MP's letter

By Rodney Cowton, Defence Correspondent

The loss of the log kept in the navigating control room of HMS Conqueror is understood to have come to light last month when Ministry of Defence officials asked for it while preparing a reply to a letter from Mr George Foulkes, a Labour Party foreign affairs spokesman, to the Prime Minister.

Minister.

In his letter Mr Foulkes had listed 15 questions regarding the circumstances surrounding the sinking of the Belgrano, of which the ninth was whether Mrs Margaret Thatcher would have the log of HMS Conqueror placed in the library of the Husse of Commons. This the Government has refused to do.

Although the exact timing of the loss of the log-book will be one of the factors to be established by a board inquiry, it seems possible that it could have occured a year or more ago, according to White-hall sources. The log would normally have been sent from HMS Conqueror to the Minis-try of Defence's records office

at Hayes, west London.
Although the log would have borne a security classification, possibly at the second lowest level of "confidential", one source referred to it yesterday as "an essentially trivial document".

The reason for giving it a security classification is that anyone obtaining it would be

about the way in which Britain's unclear-powered submarines operate, because it gives hourly information on such things as depth and distance covered, and vessel's position.

The log kept in the navigation control room is only one of several records kept in naval vessels, and is much less important than the commandiog officer's narrative or the official ship's log.

It is said that in normal peacetime operations it is seldom referred to, except perhaps to double-check some doubtful point in one of the other records. It was being said yesterday that because most if not all the information contained in the navigation control room log was duplicated in other records, there had been some consideration of disconfinning the navigation room

It tended to be a "coffeestained" document, filled-in in blunt pencil by several people, which contained basically technical information, and perhaps a routine record of the completion of ships' "rounds". It was being repeated both offi-cially and moofficially that such logs contained no tactical information or facts about the movement of other shins.

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Mr Rifkind has been remarkably frank about what he describes as the gulf between the Polish people and their Government. He expressed returned to London: "I would say that at times the British scepticism about the new post-Solidarity trades unions, raised the case of political prisoners during bilateral talks, held

of Minister Rifkind. During his few days' stay in Poland he was already announcing what the Poles want. I want to object to his meetings with representatives of an illegal organization (Solidrity), to his interfering in investigative procedures and saying what Poland should do

Warsaw rebukes blunt Rifkind From Roger Boyes, Warsaw ago and he was only the second such as Professor Bronislaw The Polish Government leading Nato politician to visit Warsaw in the post-Solidarity Geremek and Mr Tadeusz

rebuke to Mr Malcolm Rifkind, the Minister of State at the Foreign Office, for his outspoken comments and meetings with Solidarity advisers during his visit to Warsaw. Mr Jerzy Urban, the government spokesman, said only hours before Mr Rifkind

Minister of State is expressing himself as if he is visiting a former British colony".

Mr Rifkind was on the first
British ministerial visit to Poland since the martial law crackdown almost three years

period. The first was the Greek Prime Minister Mr Andreas Papandreou who came last

During his stay this week talks - albeit over tea and cakes - with Solidarity advisers

Mazowievki and laid a wreath at the grave of Father Jerzy Popieluszko, the pro-Solidarity priest murdered by secret Mr Urban said: "I want to object to the public statements

in domestic policies."

Sir Gordon Downey, Comptrol-

officials have been suspended

from duty, he says. Criminal charges have been brought against some of them and

Gordon says. He said that those circum-

stances and in view of the

uncertainty of the effect on the

acceptability of total expendi-ture of £22,513,000 listed under

investigation agencies in crime

The recommendations are in

ted by working miners in every coalfield, with the exception of south Wales where lawyers said miners from the union.

Yorkshire drive to bring strikers back

The National Coal Board in Yorkshire yesterday launched a new initiative to capitalize on the return to work in the traditionally militant coaffield

(Peter Davenport writes).
All 54,000 miners in the area received a letter urging them to join the drift back and offered help in avoiding picket line "aggro and intimidation". The letters were sent by first-class post and included a

tear-off slip for strikers who want to return. Freepost envelopes were included to be returned to the four area headquarters in Yorkshire.

A spokesman at Doncaster said: "The letter is just a way of responding to the many calls received by colliery managers from men who want to come back to work. We have shown that we can get men to and from work safely but obviously they are concerned about intimidation back at home.

"It is much easier if half a dozen men from one street come in together and the reply forms will enable colliery managers to arrange things like transport. Many thousands of men want to come back to work if they can avoid intimidation."

Yesterday, another 51 men went through the gates of Yorkshire collieries bringing the total working in Mr Arthur Scargill's home coalfield to

The letter details the inducements available to men who start work now - up to £1,000

Sir Gordon Downey, Comptroller and Auditor General, says in the Propriation Accounts for Law. Order and Protective Services, published yesterday.

A number of Home Office and Wales. continuing their examination in parallel with the investigation by the police and the Home Office my staff have since deferred their inquiries and are monitoring the outcome of After reports by consultants in 1981 and 1982 the Home those investigations. "When the police and the Home Office investigations have been completed, and subject to any sub judice considerations. I propose to

which irregularities started to come to light. Rather than

Office has been progressively introducing changes in the organization of the Directorate Home Office are continuing.
The full extent of the irregularities is not known, Sir Gordon says.

Urganization of the Directorate of Prison Industries and Farm's and in associated management and accounting systems. Sir Gordon says. make a further report on the irregularities concerned, on any Financial procedures and controls are being further examcontrols.

ined by the Home Office and its Appropriation Accounts 1983-84 internal audit in the light of the (Vol 6: Class IX) Law, Order irregularities now disclosed. and Protective Se "In 1983 my staff had begun ery Office. £6.30.

Call for private prisons

'Serious irregularities'

in prison contracts

found by Auditor-General

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tries and produce from prison

By Our Home Affairs Correspondent

An injection of private which says that while police contract out certain minor areas enterprise into the criminal strength has grown, crime rates of police activity, such as justice system is recommended have risen and the clear-up rates inviting tenders for traffic today by the Adam Smith have fallen. More use of control."

Institute, the market economic civilians would save money and The provision of security with improved recruiting of It calls for. Private prisons, special constables would free built and run by independent full-time officers for more

firms under government con-tract; More reliance on private examples of towns "contracting detection; Probation to be discouraged and alternatives out" of their police services, the report says. Training services, encouraged to provide compe-tition and electronic bracelets forensic science, telecommunications and criminal records for minor offenders and druncan be performed more efken drivers to monitor moveficiently under contract.

'If this experiment proved successful, then local police a report Omega Justice Policy, authorities might go on to

patrols on a chosen estate could help to supplement police services. In the United States Guardian Angels, a group of The United States has many young people, act as unarmed safety patrols on the New York suway. If carefully controlled, the idea might boost street

The report draws on American initiatives to suggest private involvement

Omega Justice Policy. Adam Smith Institute. PO Box 316, London SWIP 3DJ, £5.80p.

The miners' dispute

are already several cases still

going through the legal process.

High Court have traced £2.7m

of union funds in Dublin which

will be frozen and probably

so far against Mr Scargill, which

could run into several thou-

The Strike in Scotland is still regarded as official following

the refusal of a judge in the Court of Session in Edinburgh

earlier this week to order the

NUM to hold a national ballot.
The NUM attitude to the

A further case will be brought

used to pay the fine.

sands of pounds.

Writ claims funds used for picketing

With the exception of south The latest round of legal Wales and Scotland, court decisions have declared the area action in the miners' strike, mounted yesterday by working miners seeking to have the Yorkshire area of the National strikes unofficial and by doing so removed the union's ability Union of Mineworkers put into to insist that its members refuse receivership, is the most recent to cross "official" picket lines of more than 20 individual Working miners' groups are cases brought since the strike said to be planning a new legal offensive next week, but even

started. Two miners from Manton colliery, near Newark, Mr Ken Foulstone amd Mr Robert Taylor, have issued writs against the five trustees of the Yorkshire NUM alleging that the area funds are being misused because they are financing unlawful picketing.

to go before the High Court on Monday, is the second major action brought by the two men. successfully sought injunctions which declared the strike in Yorkshire unofficial, led to the £200,000 contempt fine being imposed on the NUM and a £1,000 fine on Mr Arthur Scargill, union psident, for refusing the terms of the court'

Legal action has been mounlast night that plans were being laid for legal moves to prevent the NUM expelling working

Kinnock in clash over

Mr Neil Kinnock was criticized yesterday by left-wing Labour MPs for turning down Mr Arthur Scargill's request to attend the National Union of Mineworkers' rallies called to bolster support for the coal

In a bitter clash at a private without any new actions there meeting of the Parliamentary Labour Party, Mr Dennis Skinner, the miners' MP for Writs have been served on individual members of the Bolsover, told Mr Kinnock that the miners were at the forefront NUM executive seeking to have of the battle for jobs and that at them made personally respon-sible for the £200,000 contempt remembered that he "was not

Mr Skinner: "I know where the front-line is. I have been there." But he gave warning to the party, in a performance which impressed many MPs, that there did not have to be a Gallipoli over the strike. "We in chambers in the High Court today in which Nottinghamshire miners will ask a judge to award costs of their legal actions are not interested in a glorious

Powerful support for Mr Kinnock's stance was voiced by his predecessor as leader, Mr Michael Foot, who said that Mr Kinnock and Mr Stan Orme, the Shadow Secretary for Energy, had given all possible plethora of legal actions has been to ignore most of them, help to the miners.

Student union pits payment

The London School Economics Students Union faces financial collapse if leftwing students carry out their plan to force its treasurer's resignation because he is refusing to make an illegal payment to the National Union of Mineworkers (Colin Hughes

The student union's general secretary, Mr Ed Lucas, has resigned over the £4,000 payment. The union voted earlier this year to pay the proceeds of its bar gaming machines to the striking miners.

Mr Michael Moszynski, the union's senior treasurer, faces a motion of censure at a general



to clear up the continuing other committee members. controversy surrounding the Unless a comprehensive and sinking of the General Belgrano detailed account was published

during the Falklands War.
To do so, he told the
Commons Select Committee on Foreign Affairs, would only fuel But Mr Heseltine, while demands for further information – inevitably involving sidered such a plan, told MPs: national security - from those who had pursued the Belgrano campaign, which no Governcould conceivably

Mr Heseltine, who questioned for two hours on the torpedoing of the Argentine cruiser 30 months ago, told MPs: "I think in the minds of the vast majority of people in this country the Government did precisely what it had to do

"this controversy will continue

"The people who have nursed this campaign for further information based on the assumption either that the Prime Minister enjoyed the conflict or was seeking to disrupt the Puruvian peace initiative, are not going to be satisfied with the publication of

unsatisfactorily to simmer," he

a document' He had been profoundly aware from his first detailed consideration of the Belgrano affair that the more information The request for a government the Government provided, the publication on the events more it would fuel demands for

Mr Michael Heseltine, Secsurrounding the sinking was retary of State for Defence, made by Mr Norman St Johnyesterday categorically rejected Stevas, Conservative MP for publishing a White Paper to try

Mr Michael Heseltine, Secsurrounding the sinking was information "trespassing very of the Belgrano when she was rapidly into areas which the Stevas, Conservative MP for Government would not be rances in reporting the sinking rapidly into areas which the sunk.

my judgment has been more than justified by the sort of letters that are now flying into my department from exactly the same source that began this narticular campaign. He was asked constantly for

information which it would be unthinkable for ministers to provide, on grounds of national security. There was no further public information to add Earlier Mr Heseltine has

insisted that the sinking of the Belgrano had been essential for the protection of British forces the south Atlantic.

And he strongly resented a claim by Mr Dennis Canavan, Labour MP for Falkirk West, that Sir John Nott, Secretary of State for Defence during the Falklands crisis had "deceived" the Commons over the course

Jail for life

for IRA

murderer

earlier this year because he was

concerned about the safety of

Palladian

villa for

Cambridge

By Charles Knevitt

Architecture Correspondent

Downing College, Cambridge, is to build a modern Palladian "villa of pleasure" with a gift of £850,000 from the

Howard Foundation. The build-

ing, designed by the classical architect Quinlan Terry, will

provide recreational facilities

for students. Work will start

next summer and be completed

Dr Alan Howard, the founder

and a trustee of the Howard

Foundation, has been a member

of Downing College since 1984.

He is the inventor of the very low calorie Cambridge Diet, and royalties from its develop-

ment are being used to build the

Mr Terry said that his design perpetuates the restrained

classicism that is characteristic

of Downing College, which was started by Wilkins in 1809 under the influence of the

new villa.

Greek Revival".

his wife and two sons.

rances in reporting the sinking to MPs were due to the intense pressure and responsibility on Sir John, which meant he did not have all the information

now available.

Mr Clive Ponting, the senior Ministry of Defence official charged under the Official Secrets Act with the unauthorized disclosure of documents. rized disclosure of documents on the Belgrano to an MP, sat four rows behind Mr Heseltine

known as the "Crown Jewels". subsidies, to livestock pro-After sitting through the ducers. Because these support prices Heseltine, Mr Ponting and his solicitor called on the Attorney

General to discontinue the prosecution.

Press VAT opposed by Owen

A Provisional IRA terrorist was jailed for life yesterday for the "callous and determined" murder of two community policemen in Northern Ireland on their publications. (Richard Ford writes).

Barry Llewellan, aged 26, a former informer, had led the gunnen away from the murder scene, took their guns to a safe house and burnt their clothes after the killing on the edge of a housing estate in Downpatrick, Society. Lord Justice Kelly at Belfast rown Court was told Llewellan, a native of Man-

chester who had lived in Northern Ireland since marrying a local girl seven years ago. originally decided to give evidence against seven men allegedly involved in terrorism but retracted the statements

He was concerned about the effects VAT might have on the growing diversity of newspapers and on their ability to introduce new technology.

Dr David Owen, the SDP leader, yesterday pledged to back newspaper owners fighting introduction of value-added tax

"I will oppose it with all the strengh of my position and I know that I would speak for my party on that," he said at a London luncheon organized by the provincial newspaper owners organization, the Newspaper

opposing the threatened VAT, I tends to agree with the first part which could be announced in the next Budget, and suggested the fact that the recent Royal Commisson on the press came out against it was important.

farmers going on their own if they saw fit. The revised reduction of approximately £80m is likely to appear in the autumn finanancial statement expected next The "star chamber" of senior Cabinet ministers is know to be

anxious to reduce the level of grant-in-aid, particularly to joyed yet another record har-But Mr Michael Jopling, Minister of Agriculture, has

Treasury

yields to

plea over

farm grants

By John Young
Agriculture Correspondent

The Treasury has agreed to reduce its demand for cuts in the level of capital grants to British farmers from a half to a

quarter of the present total.

By far the largest proportion

of grants goes towards land "improvement", such as the drainage of marshland to grow

cereals or the ploughing and liming of rough grazing to improve its livestock capacity. If the Ministry of Agriculture

were obliged, because of finan-

cial stringency, to refuse a higher proportion of appli-cations, it would help to take some of the heat out of

controversial issues such as the future of Exmoor and the Halvergate Marshes, in Norfolk.

although it would not prevent

argued strongly that the in-comes of livestock farmers, particularly in bill regions, must be protected, and that British agriculture must not be placed in a less competitive position than in other EEC countries. Total taxpayers' support for agriculture is estimated at £1.680m. Of that, by far the

the first time during the hearing that Mr Ponting had drawn up the detailed internal MoD account of the Belgrano affair, known as the "Crown Ierusele"

are determined in Brussels. individual EEC member Governments' hands are effec-tively tied. Much of the money is, in any case, eventually refunded from the EEC budget. although because of the long delays involved, and the continuing argument about Britain's contributions to the budget, the Treasury is inclined to view the cost as a charge against the Public Sector Borrowing Requirement.

The only real scope for cuts thus lies in the capital grants naid to farmers for improving their land and their incomes, usually under long-term schemes approved by

Farmers' organizations would accept that further support or large grain farmers is an anachronism, but feel that the money saved should be channelled towards the poorer hill livestock sector. The Treasury but not the second.

• The Commons Environ-ment Committee was urged yesterday to press for early char...ges in the Wildlife and Countryside Act to prevent further loss and damage to important landscapes and sites of special scientific interest (SSSI's).

Sale room

Table Mountain gives the clue to a fortune

By Geraldine Norman, Sale Room Correspondent

1983, was sold by Sotheby's in Johannesburg on Tuesday for 190,000 Rand, or £83,333. All that had changed was the

identification of the subject. Christie's called it "Dutch whaling fleet off a rocky coast" while Sotheby's described it as the earliest recorded painting of the Cape of Good Hope. Ther man who achieved the

coup of purchase and resale was described by Sotheby's as "a former South African citizen now resident in London. The give-away, to anyone with a knowledge of South Africa, is the depiction of the curious flat outline of Table Mountain among the "rocks" in the background.

The painting is by the Dutch artist Adam Willaerts (1577-1664) and signed by him. Both auction houses had read the signature. A man-of-war is

A seascape purchased at depicted in the foreground, as Christies for £1,944 in July, well as a charming whale spouting water.

Having put in some historical research Sotheby's have identified the view as "The man-ofwar Amsterdam and other Dutch ships in Table Bay, circa 1636". It was bought by Thorold, a Johannesburg dealer.

The painting was taken in for sale in London but Sotheby's decided that it was likely to make a higher price if sold in South Africa. It sets an auction record for the artist and is also the highest price that has so far been paid for any picture at a South African auction.

At Phillips in London yesterday a price record was set for lead soldiers. The boxed set by Britains dates from around 1914 and sold for £6,820 (estimate £3,000-£5,000). It comprises a Royal Horse Artillery gun team with limber

Most church members want women priests

By Clifford Longley, Religious Affairs Correspondent of women to the priesthood. which is to be debated by the general synod next week. According to the latest NOP survey, the proportion at 84 per cent, is greater than in the population at large, at 79 per

The poll gives ammunition to both sides in the argument, however, by showing that it is weekly church-goers who are most opposed to women priests. At 66 per cent, support has dropped by 3 per cent since a similar poll was conducted in 1981, among that group.

Weekly chrurch-goers stand out as quite distinct from monthly church-goers, where support for the ordination of women corresponds to the level

More than four out of five of support in the total popumembers of the Church of lation. The highest level of England favour the ordination support comes from the large section who are church members but who attend church less than once a month. NOP Market Research Ltd interviewed a random sample of

> October 23. SUPPORT FOR ORDINATION OF WOMEN (%)

1.993 people aged 15 or over in

180 constituencies spread throughout Great Britain, between October 18 and

C of E members Less than that

miners By Philip Webster

on the front-line."

defeat," he said. Mr Skinner was backed by several other MPs in calling on Mr Kinnock to reconsider his

threatened over

union meeting later today.



Mr Ishihara unveiling the Nissan foundation stone at Washington.

company, yesterday gave its first clear commitment to proceed with the £300m second phase of its UK car manufacturing plant at Washington. Tyne and Wear. The government-backed development will be by far the largest Japanese

investment in Europe. Mr Takashi Ishihara, the Nissan president, was in Washington to unveil the plant's foundation stone. He said the company was investing in the first phase, costing it £50m and providing 500 jobs. on the assumption that the second phase would proceed. "I an not worried at all that we will end up just with phase one", he said.

There seems little doubt either that the company will expand the development on the 800-acre Washington site at least into a third phase which

Nissan, the Japanese car could see Britain producing impany, yesterday gave its more than 300,000 Japanese cars a year.

The local content of the cars will eventually rise to 80 per cent. Most of them will be sold in other European Community

countries.

Nissan's previous caution over the United Kingdom development and the decision to split it into several phases resulted from disagreements among Nissan directors about wisdom of bailding a factory in Britain, and uncertainty over the state of the European new car market.

The first phase involves the assembly of 24,000 cars a year beginning in 1986, all imported in kit form from Japan. The second stage will boost output to 100,000

Mr Ishihara said that no decision had been taken on a

The Reith Lecture

A theory for solving the puzzle of body and mind

How does the mind work? "We think of ourselves as What goes on when a person is said to be thinking? The question was addressed by Professor John Searle of the University of California, Berkeley, last night in the first of the Reith Lectures on BBC Radio 4.

brain has been a subject for the lectures. The remarkable recent discoveries about its biology were traced two years ago by Dr Colin Blakemore, a John Seale is a professor of Philosophy. His title is Minds, Brains and Science, and tries to

explain the connexion between the mind and the brain with a

number of intriguing analogies.

The problem he poses is:

It is the second time that the

conscious, free, mindful, rational agents in a world that science tells us consists entirely of mindless, meaningless physi-cal particles. How can we square these two conceptions? How, for example, can it be both the case that the world contains nothing but ancon-scious physical particles and yet that it also contains consciousness?" He says: "Such problems spill over into other more

aporary issues. How

shall we interpret recent work

in computer science and arti-

ficial intelligence? Specifically.

does the computer at last give

human mind. And why is it that

the social sciences in general

us the right picture of





thoughts. have not given us insights into ourselves comparable to those that the natural sciences have given us into the rest of

His proposition for "solving the mind-body problem" is that all mental phenomena, whether conscious or unconscious, visual or auditory - pains, tickles, itches, thoughts - are caused by processes in the brain.

The example he considered

first was pain. Present understanding is that pain signals are transmitted from nerve endings to the spinal cord by at least two types of fibres: Delta A fibres, specialized for prickling sensations; and C fibres, specialized for burning and

The point he makes is that sensations of pain are caused by a series ofevents that begin at free nerve endings and end in the thalamus and elsewhere in the brain. The events inside the nervous system are sufficient to cause pain, as is known from limb pains felt by amputees and the pains caused by artificially stimulating portions of the

He suggests that what is true of pain is true of mental phenomena generally. The question remains: if pain and other mental phenomena are caused by processes in the brain, what is pain? The obvious answer is that it is unpleasant thoughts or sensations, but that is unsatisfactory because it does not explain how pain fits into our general conception of the world.

He argued that "thoughts are not weightless, gaseous and cthereal". Mental states are features of the brain and so they have two levels of description: a higher level in mental terms; and a lower level in physiological terms.

Bravery award

Hero Bradley Rudgley, aged 12. from Sheering, Essex, has been named the "pluckiest youngster in Europe," and is to ily to Italy next month to collect the Giancarlo Tofi "samaritan

trophy. He rescued his family, trapped in a burning car, moments before it exploded

Reagan country

A big American flag fluttered above the Ronald Reagan Lounge in the Tipperary village of Ballyporcen and some regulars sported Reagan Country" badges as the President's ancestral home celebrated his re-election.

The Times overseas selling prices
Austria Sch 29: Belgium B fra 50; Canada
\$2.76; Canadres Pet 170; Cyprus 700 mils.
Sch 276; Cyprus 700 mils.
Sch 276; Cyprus 700 mils.
Sch 276; Cyprus 2

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Breakdown

warning

to video

owners By Kenneth Gosling The perils of owning a video recorder, and the British have

more a head than any other

nation, are underlined today in

a Consumers' Association re-port which says that there is at

least a one in three chance that

your recorder will need repair-

ing by the time it is two years

Between three and four years old, the chances are one in four

of a repair in any 12-month

period. "Not very good odds",

the Which? report says, "especially when compared

with other appliances in your

The survey covered nearly

1,700 association members who own a video recorder, in

addition, fellow consumer orga-

nizations in Belgium, Denmark,

The Netherlands, Norway and

West Germany carried out their own surveys, making 6,340 consumers in all.

The worst makes in the

survey needed about three

times as many repairs as the

poor picture (streaks, spots, no colour) and problems with sound and with fast wind.

Rented appliances were repaired more quickly, an average

of 3.1 days as against 8.2 days

for owned recorders, and owners of videos spent an average of £44 on repairs.

although one in six repairs cost more than £75. In May, Which.

noted a repair estimate for a

The European consumer organization, BEUC, reported recently that the United King-

dom video recorder market will

reach 38 per cent saturation by the end of 1984, compared with 17 per cent for the United States

and West Germany. An esti-

mated 2.25 million recorders

were sold in the United

colour television of £32.

Ban on naming kidnap victim condemned by High Court judges

for a change in the contempt name in a kidnap trial was on the strength of Judge strongly condemned by three Lymbery's shortly afterwards." High Court judges.
They said that the ban, under

illogical", should never have been made, and should not be tollowed by other judges.

But they held that they had no power to overturn the ban, imposed at the Central Criminal Court last January by Judge Lymbery, QC. They therefore dismissed with regret a test challenge brought by the National Union of Journalists, the first over the use of banning orders restricting press publi-

resenting editors, joualists and lawyers are planning a joint approach to the Lord Chancel-Civil Liberties is drawing up a private member's Bill to amend

whose name the case horought, hailed the ruling as a hearing.

"I therefore feel it right to strong

Horizon Travel, Britain's

ched by package holiday sub-

Horizon would be prepared

necessary, to the Office of Fair

Brinsh Airways. Mr Nicholas Ridley, sec-

naires to all students asking

them to judge whether the lecture is relevant, boring, badly

delivered, or incomprehensible.

lecturers and lecture courses, are to be published by the union, and may be posted on

notice boards around the

university. During any one term up to 1,400 dons deliver lecture

Appeal by Clift

case man

him with a fractured skull.

Graham, said: "Inaccurate and

misleading evidence given by

Dr Clift may have convinced

the jury to convict him wrongly

Harriey had denied that he

of aggravated burglary.

only as a lookout.

The university authorities,

The results, which will hame

such difficulties.

ing holidays below cost.

Tour firm's warning

on cheap holidays

Students to assess dons

on quality of lectures

By Colin Hughes

Some lecturers, particularly feedback on the kind of lectures

those who specialize in obscure that are given. We are not

subjects in the arts, find grading them on their academic themselves addressing an audiability, but judging things like

Pressure mounted yesterday precedent, it was because there and of the order which was was a very real danger of this laws, after a judge's ban on that we brought the case, indeed press publication of a woman's one judge made a similar ban

> Second, the case had clearly was drifting a Bill to ensure a connexions." right to judicial review.

The Guild of British Newspaper Editors, the international Press Institute, the Law Society and the Criminal Bar Association have all expressed concern addiction as a result of stress about the way judges have from publicity, restricted reporting under the Section 11 of the 1981 Act Act. By spring this year 88 such enables courts to prohibit orders had been made at the publication of a name, or any Central Criminal Court along.

review orders.

In yesterday's case the ban had been imposed on naming a for and the National Council for chief Crown witness, a kidnap NCCL, who acted as solicitors she was". Lord Justice Brown both for the union and for Mr said yesterday. Yet the press Tim Crook, a hournalist in were prohibited from publish a "very great victory for the whose name the case was ing what took place at a public press and media." He added:

British Airways' main pack-

made. I hope that it will not be

He added that it was "unfortunate" that the impression may well have been given that when the judge made his order "this was a privilage They said that the ban, under shown that a journalist could his order "this was a privilage section 11 of the Contempt of not challenge bans "imposing being accorded to this particular Court Act. 1981. was "wholly perpetual secrecy". The NCCL person because of her family

in making the order Judge Lymbery had said that he accepted medical evidence that the woman formerly a heroin addict, might return to her

entral Criminal Court along other matter, in connexion with A spokesman for the press proceedings. Under section 4 cation under the Act.

In view of the strength of the Judges' comments, bodies repulsed court jurisdiction to avoid a "substantial risk" of prejudice to the administration of justice.

Lord Justice Brown said there must be many cases where victim aged 23 related to a witnesses in criminal cases were prominent public figure. Her faced with embarrassment. It the law.

Yesterday Ms Barbara "so that any person coming into essential nature of British Cohen, legal officer for the court would know precisely who justice that criminal cases be tried in public.

Mr Crook said the ruling was Day after day courts are imposing secrecy orders. The "We hope this will serve as a warning to other judges not to take Judge Lymbery's ban as a procedure which was adopted way." Law Report, page 16.

Fraud trial reforms proposed

By Our Legal Affairs Correspondent

third largest tour operator, age holiday subsidiaries are vesterday, gave warning that it Enterprize, mostly selling Euro-was studying brochures laun-pean and Mediterranean holi-The Law Society today rejects abolishing trial by jury for serious fraud cases as an days, and Sovereign, which sidiaries of British Airways for offers mostly long - haul unacceptable inroad into the possible predatory pricing, sell-destinations, Enterprise recently right to jury trial in indictable

put out a pilot brochure raising prices next summer between 12 Instead, it suggests radical to take the case, if it proved per cent and 13 per cent. proposals to improve the This week, during the annual present system. The society's Trading, Mr Kenneth Franklin, conference in Toronto of the riews, outlined to the comdeputy chief executive of Association of British Travel Horizon Travel and chairman Agent, Sovereign brought out mittee on fraud trials under Lord Roskill, will deepen a and managing director of its Summer 1985 brochures with Horizon Holidays subsidiary, price rises kept to about the growing split within the pro-The Law Society says: "To

Another British Airways Flair, another British Airways subsidiary. British Air Tours subsidiary, specializing in lowmeddle with the jury system, which is seen by the population at large as underginding the the air charter operation, was er-price package holidays, also carlier this year accused of too- announced a rise in prices of freedom of the individual, low pricing by leading tour only 12 per cent. operators among which Horizon was one of the most increased prices for next sumincreased prices for nex would be a serious matter," It would be justified only if no other reforms would be effecbeen mer between 15 per cent and 20 tive and if there was hard and not just "anecdotal" evidence of

cross – subsidization within British Airways.

Mr. Nicholas Ridley, sec.

Mr. Nicholas Ridley, sec. the weaknesses of the present Among its proposals, the retary of State for Transport, subsequently promised to strengthen the powers of the OFT, to enable it to deal with average 12 per cent. Rank Organization's three society recommends using soli-citors full-time to assist police with investigations, rather than average 12 per cent.

with prosecutions.
Solicitors employed by the prosecution service to be set up in 1986 could not be used because they will be independent.

The society also calls for a crown court experiment to see if documents supplied by pros-ecution and defence in fraud Oxford University dons are to be assessed by their own students on the quality of their lectures in an attempt to prevent falling attendance by the scope of the student attitudes survey, are lending support, although some of the faculties are less enthusitrials could be put on computer and the jury provided with terminals so they could examine evidence when a witness students to have some sort of

was being examined. That would ease the burden

Director of Public themselves addressing an audi-ence of one or two students by the middle of a lecture course.

ability, but judging things like whether they are useful for students' courses. Mr James Prosecutions should also give further guidance to those the middle of a lecture course.

The students' union has Dickinson, president of the decided to distribute question—Oxford University Students deciding about fraud prose-

Other proposals are: costs Although no formal study of drop out of serious fraud cases; compulsory pre-trial preparation, such as agreement on lecture attendance has been carried out through the university, the authorities have long facts between prosecution and been concerned about students defence; disclosure by the latter attending a wide range of of opening speech; and greater powers for the judge to control the case, examine written lectures early in a term, then dropping most of them. Part of Oxford's problem is that each evidence to see if there is a case don is contractually obliged to give 36 hours of lectures, and to ask for a revised list of charges.

Family's fourth cot death 'suffocation'

is dismissed The Court of Appeal yesterday dismissed another case involving the evidence of the in succession was the result of now discredited forensic scienthe child suffocating. ust Dr Alan Clift.

deaths a year are probably caused by smothering. Dr Donald Wayte told a Wrexham inquest into the death of Adam Bithell, aged seven Two further appeals referred to the Court of Appeal by the Home Office because of Dr Clift's involvement were with-drawn. The Lord Chief Justice, Lord Lane, sitting with Mr Justice Stocker and Mr Justice months. Dr Wayte said many cot deaths were caused by Farquharson, dismissed an appeal by Mr Hugh Hartley, parents angered at being woken in the night by a crying child. aged 52, who was jailed for five years at Leeds Crown Court in

"The parent says 'for good. to suffocation".
ness sake, go to sleep,' The child He added that he had September 1975, for aggravated Hartley was one of three masked men who attacked the owner of a house they were burgling in April, 1975, leaving morning to find a dead baby -Hartley's counsel, Mr John

or that one or other parent has found in suffocation. We cannot deliberately killed the child. I cation and cot deaths."

am not levelling an accusation of homicide at these parents. It is extremely easy to kill a child, particularly in between three or months.

The said one in 500 babies fell victim to cot death syndrome, most in the first three to four months.

knew a weapon would be used and claimed he had been acting four months." wife, Virginia, both aged 32, each of the babies when they But Lord Lane said the jury

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wife, Virginia, coin ages

wept as they described the loss had been taken ill.

of their child, three weeks after

the facts surrounding Hartley's he was released from six verdict.

A Home Office pathologist said yesterday he believed that a Weish couple's fourth cot death when the said she found the said sh Mrs Bithell said she found the baby unconscious after a

special alarm on his cot went Most of Britain's 1,000 cot off, and had made desperate attempts at mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. The couple's three previous

babies all died, at eight weeks, 19 days, and six weeks. Dr Wayte said there was no sign of any injury or violence towards their fourth child but gave as the cause of death cardio respiratory failure due

is placed face down on the examined the couple's third pillow or a hand is placed over child and he had been sus-his face. The child becomes picious. He had dicussed it with quiet and the parent goes to the coroner before giving his bed. They then wake in the opinion that it was a cot death. Dr Wayte said Adam had the classic scenario of cot about five pinhead haemor-"I am not saying it is murder findings are identical to those

deliberately killed the child. I differentiate between suffo-

The inquest was told that Mr David Bithell and his Mrs Bithell had been alone with



Frontiers of knowledge: Children at Garth Hill School, Bracknell, Berkshire, exploring The Times Network for Schools

Schools computer network is launched By Bill Johnstone, Technology Correspondent

Britain's secondary and primary schools will be able to exchange details of sports fixtures, general school activities, computer software lessons and personal messages through network launched yesterday by The Times Network Systems, a subsidiary of News Inter-

The network, to be called The Times Network for Schools (TTNS) has already attracted the interest of 80 local education authorities in the past few months during its development stage. The schools on the system link into the computers operated by British Telecom's electronic mail service Telecom Gold. On these computers are more than 50 catergories of

information including a section on careers. The system will have more than 200,000 pages of information by the end of next year. The network, designed for

education, offers lessons on specific topics, and examinations can be conducted on it. The computer pages will be contributed by sources including local education authorities and industry and commerce. According to the creators of the network, "Schools throughout the country will be able to exchange information at a

The network will also provide vital links between education, industry, commerce and the professions by helping

to put the BBC in the vanguard

of video disc technology, and

produce a second best-selling

consumer product to rival the

BBC microcomputer. The video

disc player which Phillips is

designing for the project will be marketed under the BBC's name, and should pave the way

for a new market in inter-active

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fraction of the commercial

young people understand the requirements of their future employers and, at the same time, making them familiar with the new technology".

Schools using the system can transmit selected pages across telephone lines in seconds. Each school on the system will pay £69 for a 12-week term. An electronic black box and the software required to link the school micro to the network will cost £152. The aim is to attract as many

of the country's 6,500 second-ary schools and 400 teacher training centres on to the network as possible. The next phase, within 12 months, will be to market the network to 27,000 primary schools. The British network is the

What sets the project apart

from conventional electronic

databases, which store infor-

mation under computer control,

is the BBC's determination with

its partners to pioneer a link between a BBC computer and

At present, video disc players cost around £500 and are used

for showing prerecorded films.

The Domesday Project plans to

enable the computer user to

order the disc player to search

through a disc for specific

other public bodies.

the disc player.

start of what could become a European operation. The designers want to extend it to Holland, West Germany and France. information: The Times Net-

work for Schools, News Inter-national, PO Box 7, 200 Grays Inn Road, London WC1X 8EZ. • Computers will transform education by the end of the century, allowing more children

to study at home, according to a book published vesterday (Colin Hughes writes). Ray Hammond, the author, expects that, although schools

will continue to exist, "they won't be in the same form as they have been. Forward 100: Logo and your Child, by Ray Hammond: Viking.

On average six hours of recordings are made each week but only 90 minutes is spent watching prerecorded tapes, half the figure of two years ago.

Kingdom last year.

RELIABILITY OF EACH MAKE The system should make it possible for a user with a BBC No of repairs % of machine per 100 mach's repair-free micro and a colour monitor to start an operation looking at an Ordnance Survey map of the United Kingdom. He can then call up county boundaries and administrative areas, and move through tables of statistical data Missubishi Photographs of local landmarks produced by a national compension planned for next year, and articles written by local schoolchildren, will de

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by BBC Electronic 'Domesday Book' mation provided by schools and information, and then display it The venture is also designed

By David Hewson The BBC is to create a new high-technology "Domesday Book" to mark the 900th anniversary of the book's original appearance.
The £2.5m Domesday Pro-

ject, in which the corporation will be in partnership with electronics manufacturers Phillips and the Department of Trade and Industry, promises to produce an electronic store of words and pictures about Britain, twice the size of the Encyclopaedia Britannica by September, 1986.

programmes.
The Domesday "book" will be contained on two video discs, one of them compiled from existing statistical records, the second made up of infor-New laws urged on

home sales Legal changes are needed to stop estate agents from giving misleading and inaccurate descriptions of properties they are trying to sell, the Consumers' Association recommends in the latest issue of Which? published

today (Our Property Correspondent writes).

Descriptions of goods and services are required by law to be accurate, but descriptions of

property for sale are not covered in the same way, the report says.

"Everyone expects an estate agent to do the best for his of documentation at long fraud client, the seller, but we think

an agent's particulars should not mislead by statements or visual presentations which are ambiguous, or exaggerated, or omit vital details."

Prostitute sued for £56,000

Lindi St Claire, aged 30, a prostitute, yesterday fought off an attempt by the inland Revenue in the High Court to get its hands on her money.

Master Hodgson adjourned a private hearing brought by the Inland Revenue for summary judgment of their £56,000 claim for unpaid taxes on her earnings during the past 10 years. Ms St Claire asked for time to get her papers in order because she has been refused legal aid and was representing herself.

Victim's mother says Lucan alive

The mother of the nanny murdered by Lord Lucan said yesterday she believed he was still alive. Mrs Eunice Hensby was speaking on the tenth anniversary of her daughter's death and the disappearance of Lord Lucan.

He was named by an inquest jury as the killer of Sandra Rivert, aged 29.

Murder appeal Lawyers representing Arthur

Hutchinson, who was given three life sentences in September for the murder of Mr Basil Laitner, a Sheffield solicitor, and his wife and son, have submitted an appeal against conviction and sentence.

Council cleared

An audit Commission inves-Wansdyke council, covering the Keysham area near Bristol, has given the Conservative controlled local authority a clean bill of health.

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Heseltine explains value | Councils told to hive off more services to Britain's enemies of missing log book

THE BELGRANO

If the Opposition were suggesting that the Royal Navy should publish the technical details of its military tactics, that would be a major breach of the national interest, Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretrary State for Defence, said in Commons after he had reported that a board of inquiry was being held to discover how the logbook of the submarine HMS Conqueror con-taining details of its movements during the Falklands campaign in which it sank the Argentine cruiser the Reference came to be lost the Belgrano, came to be lost.

Mr Denzel Davies, chief Opposition spokesman on defence, had sug-gested it had been lost either through gross incompetence on the part of the Navy, which few would believe, or it was stolen and maybe lestroyed by someone to whom the details were embarrassing not only Minister personally. Mr Heseltine said the country was

sick and tired of Labour MPs for narrow and inexplicable reasons, extraordinary that so many MPs corrects the record of Hansard in should apparently be more interested in views provided by Argentinian sources than by the

He told MPs that the main log book of HMS Conqueror containing detailed and classified information was in the possession of the Ministry of Defence.

The submarine's navigating officer (he added) also kept a log book giving the latitudes and longitudes, the distance run and the speed and depth. The document contained no technical information. It has been mislaid. And as it too is classified, a board of inquiry is being

Mr Davies: His astonishing admission that be, his department and the Navy apparently have lost - and some unkind souls may say conveniently lost - the navigational log book, not of some cross-channel ferry but of HMS Conqueror, is another extraordinary episode in this Government's pathetic attempt to explain away all the circum-stances of the sinking of the

This highly classified document contained all the details of the contained all the details of the movement not only of the Conqueror but possibly of the Belgrano as well on April 30, when the rules of engagement were changed, on May I, when we are now told, but not originally, that the Conqueror spotted the Belgrano and on May I, when the Belgrano was

Sunk.
Would not the log book, which Mr Heseltine has tried to dow-ngrade, contain all the movements of those two ships over these three

Will the Covernment at last come clean and treat the House with some respect and give a full, clear, honest and truthful account of all the circumstances leading up to and surrounding the tinking of the Belgrano?

realize that once an inquiry has been set up within the Ministry of Defence, it is incumbent for us to find out what it reveals before making our own judgment about it. The decision was taken to Protect

British lives. Mr John Wilkinson (Ruislip-Northwood. C): Whilst agreeing that the loss of any classified document is scrious and deserving an inquiry; would be not agree that the sinking. of the Belgrano by HMS Conqueror put the Argentine navy out of the war and so protected British lives and ensured the success of the war and so protected British lives and ensured the success of the Falkiand Islands operation?

Mr Heseltine: There were undoubtthat feeling, it would be a good idea edly consequences, although the to pull House will be aware that we facts.

sustained serious losses after the Mr Heseltin reluctantly, had to be that the Government had meticulously checked information, and in the light of the widest interest of national security, had corrected where security and corrected sinking of the Belgrano, particularly the Sheffield. But I accept the inkage he makes.

The main point is that the national security, had corrected wherever possible and appropriate the record of events, said to the House with the best of intentions—

Government took military advice in connexion with the sinking of the Belgrano, which was expeditious and in my view unavoidable, and if Labour MPs had rejected such military advice they would have put

lives at risk. Dr David Owen, Leader of the SDP. I have never sought to attack, and I do not intend to seek to attack, the decision taken by the war cabinet to sink the aircraft carrier. Nor do many of us believe there was any ntention by sinking the Beigrano on April 2 to sink whatever peace initiative may or may not have been underway with the Peruvians. But we are not sick and tired, and

not is the country, of insisting that the truth is said to this House. We now find ourselves in a situation where the Prime Minister, former Secretary of Trade and a umber of other junior ministers in this Government are on record in Hansard with statements we now know not to be true.

We have the right and the duty to



Rees: Something untoward is happening

any way they see fit, preferably through a White Paper which could then be debated, and the sooner the

better. Mr Heseltine: I accept that Dr Owen adopts a different approach. As minister now responsible for advising the Prime Minister on this matter, I have meticulously been through the records and wherever, having regard to the national interest, I thought the record should be changed, it has been changed in

order to correct that record.

The Prime Minister, in letters well publicized and well known, has always accepted the advice given i inaccuracies have been found and she has been meticulous in adjusting

Sir John Biggs-Davison: (Epping Forest, C): Is it a sign of the death wish of the Labour Party that they should be so anxious to exculpate Argentina, the aggressor against our British fellow subjects in the Falklands, and to damage the reputation of the Royal Navy and the British nation which unitedly

repelled that invasion?
Mr Heseltine: I totally accept his views. I find it extraordinary that so many MPs should apparently be more interested in views provided by Argentinian sources than by their own Government. When he refers to a death wish, that is a curious contradiction because it is very

difficult for corpses to die twice. Mr Merivo Rees (Leeds, South and Morley, Lab't Those of us who have been in war know what happens in war. But statements made in good faith and then withdrawn have created an attitude of mind outside that something untoward is happen-

to publish a White Paper with all the

ANIMAL EXPERIMENTS

IN MEDICAL RESEARCH

Would you give insulin to a diabetic

Would you retain Society's hard won

control over polio, diphtheria, TB and

smallbox?

QUEEN'S SPEECH

The Government proposed to privatize more local council services, including dustbin collec-tion, cleaning and vehicle mainten-ance, Mr Patric Jeakin, Secretary of State for the Environment, an-nounced in the Commons during the resumed debate on the Queen's

Speech.
It would also require councils, he said, to assess the costs of specific services and more details to the atepayers in order to make Councils more cost-conscions and compare the costs with those private

Mr Jenkin said that despite evidence of savings to be made by privatization, most local councils were still fighting sby of seeking Minister had set out the scene in the widest possible context. But still the same persistent inquiries continued the Prime Minister had rightly made clear no responsible government would consider publishing. associations and private industry on Intelligence sources from Argen-tine were being used by various parties in this country to try to elicit from the Government information which could only be against the In the past three years there had

information that was often difficult quickly to achieve in wartime.

Despite all that, the Prime

interest. No Government

Mr Robert Adley (Christchurch, C):
Does he not think the Biblical text
"Love thine enemy" has reached
ridiculous proportions in which the
Opposition swallow everything that

comes in favour of Argentina and does all it can to denigrate the British Government and the Royal

Mr Heseltine: The overwhelming majority of people believe the Prime Minister acted rightly. The only criticism would have been had she

Mr Russell Johnston (Inverness, Nairn and Lochabel, L) asked what was the classification of the document and if Mr Heseltine could

confirm that he did not know when

Mr Heseltine said he did not yet have the full facts on the loss of the

document. That was a matter for the

board of inquiry. As Secretary of State, he preferred to rely on the Royal Navy than on her Majesty's

Mr Jonathan Sayeed (Bristol East, C) said the log was nothing more than a jotting pad used by the navigator, for fixes and other

navigational information, and not the ship's log of Conqueror about what that ship was doing, where it

was, where it was going to and what

exercise and undertaking it was on.

Mr Heseltine: That is correct. I

It is a technical record kept by the navigator of the ship and the duty

officers. It is in no way a record from the captain or CO dealing with

Certainly the document is important and that is why it is classified. But it is not important in

the context of trying to see judgments reached by the Com-manding Officer in a factical sense

but important to our enemies in

trying to see the way the Royal Navy disposes of its ships at sea.

Mr Richard Douglas (Dunfermline West, Lab): Will Mr Heseltine be a

little more circumspect with the

House and indicate clearly that this

log, though a beimsman's log, would be of vital significance in determin-

ing the position and manoeuvering

characteristics of the boat when it

Mr Donoles: What instructions has

the ships that took part in this campaign so we do not have any

repetition of their loss or misplace

Mr Heseltine: If there were to be a revelation of the way in which our ships negotiate pending an attack that information would convey nothing to the Admiraty because

they would have designed that tactic, but it would tell our enemies

he given to secure all the logs of all

was going into action?

pursue that activity.

Mr Heseltine podded assent.

the wider issues.

would do this.

one she did take.

been substantial benefits of compe-tition for local authority construction and maintainance work. Significant savings had also been made through using private firms for refuse collection and other services or through improved efficiency of councils own staff when faced with competition from outside contractors.

There are worthwhile savings to be made (he added), of that we are convinced. What is needed now is more effective pressure to go out and get them.

He said that when the manifesto was published in 1983 with the pledge to abolish the GLC and metropolitan counties some people had doubted their commitment. They had been proved wrong every step of the way. He did not necessarily put Mr

Kenneth Livingstone in that category. He had always had category, no that always had parliamentary ambitions and nothing would suit his purpose less than for his own advertising campaign to succed and the GLC to

Imagine it, (he said) condemned to abolition of the GLC and the six metropolitan councils. If Parliament metropolitan councils. It rationalest passed the Bill, then at midnight on March 31, 1986 they would cease to exist and almost all their powers would devolve on London boroughs. and metropolitan districts. An unnecessary tier of local government would have been removed. It was untrue to suggest that the Bill would be an enabling Bill. It would provide in detail for transfer of the statutory functions of the abolished councils.

The government had had to draft the Bill with little say or belp from most of the authorities concerned. Instead of making a constructive input the GLC and to a lesser extent the metropolitan counties had taken refuge in frivolities.

In pointless demonstrations, like the much trumpeted day of protest the people who suffered were the children, whose schools were closed, the old folk, the handicapped and those who depended on services which ceased to be provided. One again Mr Livingstone had failed to get the mass backing he claimed. At County Hall, London,

more than half the staff were working normally, expected to the GLC's so called pink

The burden of the advertising campaign had been that powers would be swallowed up by Whitehall. That was way he had said that the advertising was a tissue of lies. So it was. The GLC's expenditure had been challenged by the district auditor so it would not be proper for him to comment, save to say that in the eyes of millions of Londoners it was nothing less than a

scandal that such sums had been squandered on such a campaign." There would shortly be a um about staff transfer and compensation for those who did not find a place in the new structure. The savings from abolition would be close to the figure the Conservatives had suggested at the

last election.
On control of rates, he said that On control of rates, he said that authorities which spole of percentage cuts were not comparing the Government proposals with last year but with the amounts those authorities would like to spend. Any authority which had a genuine case had nothing to fear from the redetermination process.

Not one authority had seen fit to exercise its right of appeal. Most of the high spending authorities could reasonably achieve the savings the Government was looking for with

Government was looking for with no dramatic or unduly painful cuts. Some councillors were choosing to sacrifice their ratepayers and employees for the sake of the hard-

dangerous game.
To these misguided warriors (he went on) I stress that I am still prepared to listen to any case the councils may wish to put to me, but time is running out. I shall soon have to turn to the question of setting rate and precept limits for next year because councils must financially.

Councillors who threatened to defy the law should think carefully

as it could lead to personal surcharge and disqualification. The irresponsibility of such action would be matched only by its utter sheer

The law will take its course (he added) with or without the support of the Labour Party. The truth that whatever reasonable face the Leader of the Opposition (Mr Neil Kinnock) and the Opposition spokesman on the environment (Dr John Cunningham) may take, they know and we know that their party outside Parliament does not support so basic a principle as the rule of

MR Eric Heffer (Liverpool, Walton, Lab) said it was a deliberate untruth to state that the Labour Party did not believe in the rule of law. It was the Government which was bringin in unjust and sometimes bad and class-ridden laws.

Mr Jenkin said Mr Heffer stood condemned out of his own mouth by implying that people could pick and choose which laws to obey. The spending targets he had set out for 1985-86 would increase expenditure by over £800m. and allow most responsible low spend-ing councils to increase spending by



Cartwright: Insidious shift of power

45 per cent, in line with inflation forecasts. High spending councils would probably face cash cuts of up to about 6 per cent in real terms. The Government's achievement in controlling public expenditure meant that this year rate increases were the lowest for 10 years. Many observers of local government were worried that the conventions traditionally observed

by all political parties in the conduct of local government business were beginning to break down.

In some areas there was the politicization officers. Some job politicization officers. Some job advertisements carried clear signals

that, unless certain political atti-tudes were openly promoted by candidates, they need not apply. The officers of one council became elected members of another with no The public, whatever their olitical beliefs, disliked the use of

ratepayers' money for political propaganda. The Local Govern-ment Act 1972 gave wide discretion.



Finsburg: Left only want confrontation

issues involved were too complex to allow for snap decisions or immediate legislation. I have decided (he said) that what,

we need is a clear and dispassionate study not only of the abuses but also of the underlying changes which these abuses reflect. I shall shortly be putting to the House proposals for an impartial inquiry into these issues on which I will be consulting. Opposition parties, I shall also be in touch with the local government associations.

Mr John Conningham, chief Opposition spokesman on the environment (Copeland) said he agreed that the Bill to abolish the GLC and Metropolitan authorites would be the most controversial of the Session. He asked for an assurance there would be guillotine on discussion of the Bill

it was clear from Mr Jenkin's speech that Government policy towards local authorities would be as salign and malevolent as ever before. It was almost certainly going to be characterized by the petence and vacillation and double standards seen in the last year.

Unhappily for local government, Mr Jenkins did not seem to recognize the importance of its role, its functions and its contribution to national well-being, to the country and to democratic institutions and

Given the country's chronic problems of unemployment, inad-equate and declining infrastructure and public services, special difficulties being faced by urban communities in inner cities, the problems of black and ethnic minorities, and given the problems of rural decline, it was impossible for Labour to accept what the Government proposed that in the face of all this the role of local government should be a declining one. It was also unacceptable that the

dangerous trend of the last five years of elected councillors simply being controlled agents of a central more and more powers should be taken away from democraticallyelected councillors and given to a non-elected, non-accountable clite, such as in the health service, water industry, transport, fire service and

This administration had increasingly curtailed local government powers to make local decisions. The

often insubstantiated assertions of over-spending, profligacy and political bias. Any cool and dispassionate evaluation could not fail to rebut most of this as nonsense.

The evidence was overwhelm ingly against the Government's proposals for the abolition of the GLC and the metropolitan counties. The public in these areas were moving steadily in favour of Labour licies and against what Mr Jenkin's proposed

It appeared that in its haste the Government was moving into even further difficulties. There was in connexion with organizations like the Greater London Enterprise Board, the joint police boards, the fire boards and perhaps others, a danger that the abolition Bill might danger that the abolition Bill might actually turn out to be hybrid.

He hoped the Government's proposals for all these matters were going to be spelt out in detail in the Bill and not left to be subject to enabling powers at a later date. That would be an abuse of Parliament.

The Government had produced no case for abolition. Their original figures for savings had disappeared without trace. Even the Treasury did not believe any savings would result unless there were major reductions in services and major job

The reality seems to be the said) that the Government's only effect tive options are to cut services, raise rates, disguise rate rises by so-called safety nets or subsidise the boroughs

in some other way.

There would be no increase in local accountability. There would be more centralization of control. There would be no saving of money for the ratepayers and there would

be no more effective delivery of services. The contrary was likely to the case.
The Government had carried out a sustained attack on local councils and had not been concerned about the impact on services or jobs. At a time when many communities needed more asistance and when unemployment was increasing, the

Government was giving less support and making cuts. The Queen's Speech proposals and the Secretary of State's speech seemed likely to make the problems much worse.

Sir Geoffrey Finsberg (Hampstead and Highgate, C) said the break-down between central and local government had been deliberately engineered by those on the left who had no interest in local government but only in confrontation.

Those opposing abolition of the GLC equated it with a loss of democracy but the boroughs were far closer to democracy than the GLC or the metropolitan county

The GLC used a Goebbels-like a lie often enough and told a bigger and better one every day, then people would begin to believe there was some truth in it. Mr John Cartwright (Woolwich, SDP) said there was already a steady insidious shift of power from local authorities to ministers in Whitehall. If the aim of the Bill to abolish the GLC and metropolitan councils was to give more power to the lowest level of local government, why were so many reserve powers being retained by the Secretary of

Why must the Secretary of State issue regional strategic guidance?. Even in waste disposal there was a reserve power if the minister was not satisfied with the arrengements. Pushing this measure through without time for examination of the problems was a recipe for confusion

and disruption. It would create a bureaucratic nightmare. The abolition Bill would certainly Topic: Home and social affairs.

in the metropolitan areas and in Greater London. It would do the reverse. Yet there was a strong case for simplifying local government.

Mr Patrick Ground (Feltham and Heston, C) said that he had previously complained about a lack of opportunity to discuss the Government's abolition proposals. Now that they had that opportunity, the ink was almost dry on the proposals.

In the proposals published in July the Government had accepted that many powers could not be transferred to borough and district councils. The object of those

established for completely different purposes, would not have that The position would be much more complicated by the residual powers and the new proposals were

proposals was to streamline but transferring functions to a mass of

different bodies, some of them

worse than the old position, in that The experience of everyone I know who has served on joint bodies and non-elected committees (he said), where people are nominated from local authorities, is that they are most difficult bodies to run and to work. Anybody with experience of local government will recognize the truth of that,

Mr Tony Banks (Newham North-West Lahl said that Government proposals took London back to the Metropolitan Board of Works of the last century replaced by the old

Mr Ground agreed and urged the Government to listen to the and out of the Conservative Party urging the need for a residual elected body to carry out the functions openly, accountably and in a way far more efficient than any joint board or nominated committee could. Mr Alan Roberts (Bootle, Lab) said the Government was putting lawtheir lives to public service in a position where they either broke

statute law, which stated that they should provide certain services, or broke the rate-capping legislation. They were in a Catch 22 situation. He hoped the Government would not continue to mouth the propaganda put out by the Central Electricity Generating Board over the emissions from power stations. Britain was now the worst offender in this respect, apart from Russia.

If we wait (he added) for the kind of conclusive proof that the Government and the CEGB wants before action is taken, it will be too Legislation was needed to provide

more security for tenants in private rented accommodation. to get rid of bogus holiday lets, bed and breakfast hotel scandals, and the use of licences to avoid giving security of tenure to people renting from private landlords.

The worst housing conditions were in the private rented sector. with severe problems of disrepair, illegal evictions, and where rents were very high as well. Following Government announcements on conference; he hoped legislation would be to protect the tenant and not further to undermine the tenant's position.

Mr Martin Brandon-Brave (Nottingham South. C) said the abolition Bill recognized the principle of a single-tier structure for local government and would climinate two-tier format.

Parliament today

Commons (2.30): Continuation of debate n the Oveen's Speech: Topic Health, social security and edu-cation. Lords(3): Continuation of

Government hopes to keep constructive links with US

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

The Government looked forward to working with President Reagan's econd administration in the some onstructive way as it worked with his first, Lady Young Minister of State for Foreign and Common-wealth Affairs, said when the debate on the Queen's Speech was resumed in the House of Lords. There would ometimes be sharp difference between the two countries, but these would be discussed in the frank manner that characterized their

We shall continue (she went on) o make plain our view about the argent need for a reduction in the tize of the US budget deficit, about high US interest rates, about the need to contain protectionist pressures and about the extra-territorial outreach of US jurisdiction which leads to serious conflicts of interest between us, particularly at present over civil aviation matters. All these matters are manageable, that they need serious attention.

The US role was vital in arms control which depended on a sustained political dialogue between

understanding and confiden would inevitably be a lone haul, but even where the Soviet response was disappointing it was essential to keep trying to break down the

The time had come to look at the future development of the European Community. Completion of the Community. Completion of the internal market as envisaged in the Treaty of Rome was essential to enable Britain's industry and people to benefit from the dyn of a single market. The Government would therefore continue to make

Cooperative efforts and the habit of European thinking they engen-dered in each member state were some of the many ways to progress towards the ever closer union which the Government wanted. Throughout the process its commitment Europe would never be in doubt. Industrial collaboration in the civilian and military fields could be developed more between partners in

the Community. Britain and four other Europe governments were tooking in detail at the possibilities of constructing together a next On the Falklands the Govern-

ment had two policy aims, different but compatible. The first was to remain steadlast in its resolve to fulfil all its commitments to the islanders. The second, no less important, was to seek more normal bilateral relations with Argentina. bilateral relations with Argentina.

The garrison was of the minimum size necessary for defence against any further act of aggression. The first runway at Mount Pleasant airfield should become operational by the spring of 1985 and both runways should be completed by the spring of 1986.

That would permit a rapid reinforcement and should make

reinforcement and should make possible a reduction in the forces permanently stationed in the falklands. Perhaps more importantly in the longer term the airfield would also contribute significantly significantly to the future economic velopment of the islands. Lord Cledwyn of Pearhos, leader of the Opposition poors, said the, importance of President Ragan's policies could not be over estimated

Africa and Central America, in East-West relations, and the hope of

We are America's friends and allies (he said) but we are not its puppets and at the start of the new edministratio we should make that perfeculy plain. There was a prospect of a fruitful

period of cooperation with the United States and a greater almosphere of trust between East and West. The main task of foreign policy should be to build on this trust and the Government should use all its energies towards that end. Lord Edea of Winton, in a maiden speech, said Britain did not have to chose between Europe and the Community. In terms of political interests and the defence of freedom. Britain could not be either in Europe or in America - it was in

the special relationship between Britain and America, which we rightly treasure, should not grow into a special relationship between Lord Moran (Ind), in a maiden speech, said negotiations in the Community were tough, prolonged and sometimes disagreeable. The and sometimes disagreeable. The diplomatic service, like most of the British people, consisted mostly of

There is no reason (he said) why

not always make the best negotiators.

He sometimes thought that some of today's trade union leaders might contribute more to Britain's interests if they were to tackle some of the more difficult problems in Brussels and try to bring back the

The Earl of Cork and Orrery (C) said the American CLA was the most dangerous organization now operat-ing in the world. While it had its legitimate function of intelligence gathering which was of great benefit to the West, it had another unique characteristic in that it had an executive capacity.

If something could be done to

remove this executive capacity the people of the world would sleep more easily in their beds knowing that CLA did not stand for cases of instant Armageddon.

Lord Chalfont (Ind) said the links between the IRA and Libya were now well established. There was an international league of violence and the IRA was part of it. People should understand the nature of the threat which faced them because

Tory county council leader to resign over spending curbs

By Hugh Clayton, Local Government Correspon Mr Roger Parker-Jervis, one county council elections conference of the association

The Government's tougher

system of "fines" for excessive

spending is designed to trap Labour-led urban councils. But

is has begun to bite increasingly into the spending of Conserva-tive shires. For example, Cam-

bridgeshire County Council has lost £4m in fines this year. If it

does not cut spending it will

lose more than £15m next year

under the Government new

"We have been legislated into a corner," Mr Parker-Jarvis said

of the leading Conservative throughout England. critics in the shires of governThe Government ment policy on local authority spending, is to resign as chairman of Buckinghamshire County Council. He said yesterday that his council was being squeezed so hard by govern-ment policy that it would probably be rate-capped in two years after losing all its government grant next year.

Mr Parker-Jervis, who has been a member of the council for 18 years and chairman for eight will seek re-election to the Conservative-led authority after he has resigned as chairman next year. He will also give up his membership of committees of the Conservative-dominated Association of County Councils.

yesterday. One reason for his resignation was the heavy work load of voluntary council duties, he explained. Another was that years of lobbying ministers had failed to win adequate recognition of his His decision is a symptom of county's needs or any move the growing frustration of many leading Conservative counciltowards making local govern-ment finance less complicated. lors about the impact of the It had instead become even Government's financial squeeze more unwieldly.

scale of penalties.

where Mr Leon Brittan, Home Secretary, said: "I must urge you to forget, alas for ever, the expansionary management of the 1960s and 1970s." He called for "even greater efforts towards efficiency and economy in the provision of services." Mr Brittan indicated that there would be no early

response to appeals from senior coucillors and police officers for tighter controls on the issuing of shotgun licences. "I would not want anybody to think that in the absence of any factual information I am heralding any changes," he said.

He was speaking after the executive council of the Association of County Cuncils had voted to campaign for the tight restrictions on small arms licensing to be extended to shotguns. Organizations representing game-shoters are campaigning against such an extension -

Labour's front bench spokesmen named The Opposition front bench for the 1984/85 parliamentary session is as follows: Dobson: Mrs Margaret Beckett: Ms Harriet Harman. Defence and Disarranment: Mr Defence and Disarranment: Mr Defence and Disarranment.

session is as follows:
Treasury and Economic Affairs: Mr
Roy Hattersley; Mr Terry Davis; Dr
Oonagh McDonald; Mr Tony Blair,
Home Affairs: Mr Gerald Kaufman;
Mr Clive Soley; Mr Alf Dubs*; Mr
Robert Kilroy-Silk.

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Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs:
Mr Denis Healey, Mr George
Robertson, Mr Donald Anderson.
Environment: Dr John Cunningham; Mr Jack Straw: Mr Harry
Cowans, Mr Jeff Rooker*; Mr John
Fraser; Mr Denis Howell*; Dr
David Clark.*
Energy: Mr Stap Orma: Mr To-

Energy: Mr Stan Orme; Mr Ted Rowlands: Mr Alex Eadje. Trade and Industry: Mr John Smith; Mr Bryan Gould; Mr Alan Williams; Mr Geoffrey Robinson*. Leader of the House: Mr Peter Shore; Mr Alan Williams.

Northern Ireland: Mr Peter Archer, Mr Stuart Bell. Wales: Mr Barry Jones; Mr Roy dovment Mr John Prescott; Mr John Evans, Mr Barry Sheerman*.

Transport: Mrs Gwyneth Dun-woody, Mr Peter Snape, Mr Roger Health and Social Security: Mr

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Harry Ewing: Mr Jim Craigen.
European and Community Affairs:
Mr Robin Cook: Mr George Agriculture: Mr Brynmor John: Mr John Home Robertson; Dr Mark

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Arts: Mr Norman Buchan Disabled people: Mr Alf Morris. Legal Affairs: Mr John Morris. QC. Overseas Development and Cooper-ation: Dr Stuart Holland.

Science and Technology: Dr Jeremy

Women's rights: Ms Jo Richardson. Mr Dubs will specialize in race relations and immigration; Mr Rooker will specialize in housing and construction and will be assisted by Mr John Fraser, Mr Howell will specialize in sport Dr Clark will have particular responsitive for natural environment heritage, Mr Robinson will continue

with his responsibility for regional

RESEARCH DEFENCE SOCIETY, GROSVENOR GARDENS HOUSE, GROSVENOR GARDENS, LONDON SWIW (IBS. I in the run-up to next year's He was speaking during 2

Would you agree we must have medicines and vaccines which have been tested for safety? Would you agree we need to alleviate and control, for example, cancer, arthritis and multiple scierosis? Would you agree we have to safeguard the future health of the country's **Animal experimentation has** made an essential contribution to the control and eradication of serious diseases. This work must continue.

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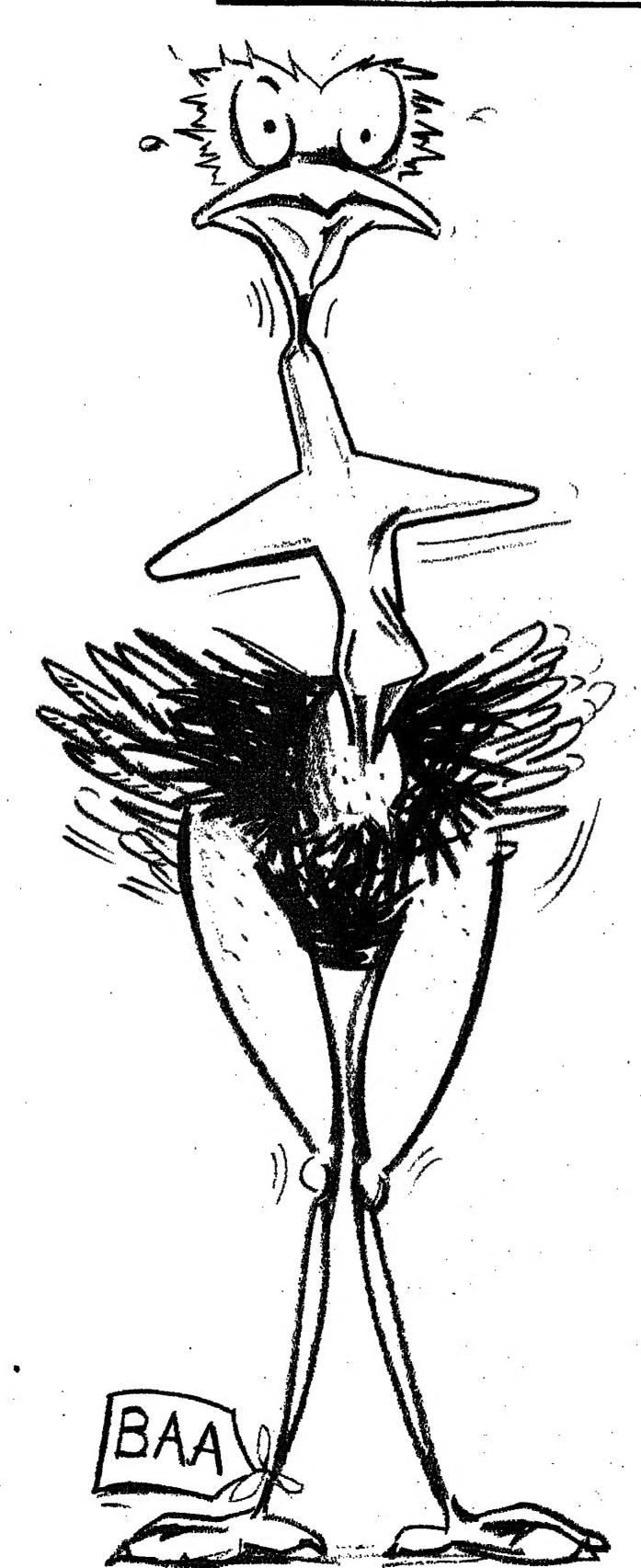
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SWALLOWING THE OPPOSITION ISN'T THE ANSWER



Who's in favour?

1. THE BRITISH AIRPORTS AUTHORITY

Naturally. It's their brainchild. Two previous rejections by official inquiries (mainly on environmental grounds) haven't reduced their determination.

2. BRITISH CALEDONIAN AIRWAYS

At the Stansted inquiry they said that whilst they wouldn't necessarily want to use it themselves, it would leave them more room for their own expansion at Gatwick.

Who's against?

1. MOST OF THE INHABITANTS OF THE STANSTED AREA

They'd rather stay the way they are – in charming surroundings, enjoying their quiet, largely agricultural way of life. They don't want the urbanisation and environmental upheaval inseparable from a project on the scale of the Stansted proposals.

2. MAJOR LOCAL AUTHORITIES, TOURIST BOARDS AND CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE – AS FAR NORTH AS SCOTLAND, AS FAR WEST AS WALES

They're a long way from Stansted, but it's very much their business. They are all in areas with regional airports capable of helping national and local economic recovery. But not if their passengers are forcibly diverted to the South East.

3. OVER 200 M.P.s.

They are on record as signatories of an Early Day Motion calling on the Government to abandon the Stansted proposals and support the regional airport solution to Britain's air transport needs. Members of all the main parties, from all regions as well as the North, bave signed this motion; and every day more MPs are indicating their support.

4. A WIDE SPREAD OF COMMERCIAL AND OTHER ENTERPRISES

Constraints of space make it impossible for us to list all the commercial organisations who are categorically opposed to the Stansted proposals. We apologise to the hundreds of enterprises whose names we have been forced to omit.

They all oppose Stansted because they

depend on good, direct services from their nearest regional airport – something which will be seriously impaired if and when Stansted is developed. They also oppose Stansted because of its

massive public expenditure impact and the way in which it would distort the social and economic priorities of the nation.

5. MILLIONS OF INTERNATIONAL PASSENGERS PER YEAR

At the present time several million air journeys to international destinations originate in the regions outside the South East. But passengers are forced to use the London airports. By 1995 if Stansted goes ahead the figure would be more than 20 million per year.

At present 4 out of every 10 outgoing tourists object to wasting a day of their holidays on an unnecessary journey to and from the South East. 33% of incoming tourists from abroad are forced to fly into London when their British holiday destinations are far away in the regions.

For the businessman and his customers, enforced travel via the South East wastes time – and time is money. It creates inconvenience and frustration, which are plainly bad business. Above all, it throws away the benefits of the regional network of airports originally designed and subsequently extended expressly to serve the millions of people in their areas. They range from small local community airports to the major International Gateway airport at Manchester. They are capable of handling ail the extra traffic realistically forecast for Stansted. So why have Stansted at all?

6. MILLIONS OF PEOPLE IN THE NORTH

They recognise that airports are among today's most effective creators of jobs – not only for their own employees, but also by stimulating the regional economy. They believe that this stimulus should be applied with fairness, balance and economic realism.

Stansted would use £1 Billion of public resources to intensify the imbalance between North and South. The regional alternative would use far less to accomplish far more for national economic growth and social stability.

The potential for regional air traffic growth is already visible. The regional share of total U.K. international traffic has risen from 18% in 1979 to over 22% in 1983. Even the Government's figures predict a further rise.

This trend could be intensified if the regional airports were allowed to compete fairly and equitably with the favoured London airports. Let the regional airports be granted the international route licences that they need. Let them see the end of the out-of-hand rejections they have so consistently encountered. The biggest stimulus of all would be the complete rejection of the Stansted proposals.

A short-sighted policy created the Stansted option. If this is followed, it will undermine air transport services and commercial opportunities for more than half of the British population.

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In addition, it will create what we believe to be an unacceptable level of environmental degradation for those unfortunate enough to be directly affected by additional aircraft movements at Stansted.

7. THE AIRLINES

The major airlines (with one exception, British Caledonian) do not want Stansted. The airlines do not want the economic constraints which would force them to use it. They don't want its inconvenience for themselves and their passengers... all of this at a time when applications from foreign carriers to operate international routes from the regional airports have been rejected out of hand—in spite of the existence of a known and realistic market for them. There is little logic in forcing international business travellers to come to the South East of England instead of to the commercial centres of the markets they wish to explore.

8. THE NORTH OF ENGLAND REGIONAL CONSORTIUM

We are responsible for this message and for many other reasoned representations to the Stansted Airport Public Inquiry and to the Government. Our members represent all shades of political, commercial and public opinion, and include:

The County Councils of Cheshire, Cleveland, Cumbria, Derbyshire, Durham, Greater Manchester, Humberside, Lancashire, Merseyside, Northumberland, Tyne and Wear, South Yorkshire and West Yorkshire.

The City Councils of Carlisle, Leeds, Liverpool, Manchester, Newcastle and Sheffield.

The Airport Authorities of Blackpool, Carlisle, Humberside, Leeds/Bradford, Liverpool, Manchester, Newcastle and Teesside.

The Consortium is well aware of the heavy legislative work load facing Parliament in the new session. We would, however, respectfully submit that the Stansted question fully merits early and serious attention in view of its widespread and long lasting implications. If the B.A.A.'s Stansted proposals are accepted, they will not help to solve the severe economic and social problems which affect more than half of Britain.

Above all, we urge Parliament to be vigilant, and not to permit the Stansted proposals to be approved as a mere formality. This £1 billion project demands the most rigorous scrutiny – not merely to prevent a massive waste of public money, but primarily to expose and remove a deep and serious threat to the nation's social and economic stability.

If you would like to receive the detailed and quantifiable facts behind this announcement, please write to:

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North of England Regional Consortium Helms set for top foreign policy post • Percy loses seat • Speaker 'Tip' O'Neill back

Senate, House and Governor races

Cross-voting foils coat-tail Trunan Eserbower effect for Reagan

fought Senate races in Illinois and North Carolina means that a man who has consistently supported right-wing leaders overseas and who is an in toable foe of the Soviet Union may take over the top foreign policy post in the US Congress. In Illinois Senator Charles Percy, the patrician chairman of the Senate foreign relations committee, was narrowly defeated by Representative Paul Simon, a five-term congressman from down-state Illinois, largely because Jews thought he was too pro-Arab and conservatives considered him too liberal.

Attempts by President Reagan and Vice-President George Bush, both of whom cam-paigned for him in Illinois several times, to pull him past the winning post failed to save him from the fate which has befallen many Senate foreign relations committee chairmen. In North Carolina senator Jesse Helms, the 63-year-old leader of the New Right

conservatives, defeated his Democratic opponent, Gover-nor James Hunt, in the most costly - and probably the dirtiest - Senate race in US history.

As Mr Helms is the senior

Republican senator, the chairmanship of the foreign relations committee is now his for the asking. Although he said during the campaign that he wanted to retain his present post as ture committee, his right-wing supporters are expected to tured the seat vacated by

foreign relations job (under Senate majority leader. Senate rules he cannot hold

Mr Helm's foreign friends range from Mr Ian Smith in the days when Zimbabwe was still Rhodesia and Major Roberto D'Aubuisson, leader of the extreme right faction in El Salvador, to ex-President Galtiere of Argentina. Indeed Mr Helms was only one of 100 senators to vote against US support for Britain during the 1982 Falklands war.

So conservative is Mr Helms



Central America, believi them not to be tough enough. helieving Senator Percy's defeat was one of three losses which the Republicans suffered in the Senate. The second was in Iowa, where Senator Roger Jepsen, a bornagain Christian who was better known for frequenting massage parlours than serving the interests of his farming constituents, was narrowly defeated by representative Thomas Harkin, a

liberal Democrat. The third was in Tennessee where Democratic representachairman of the Senate agricul- tive Albert Gore, scion of a famous political family.

pressure him into taking the Senator Howard Baker, the However, the Republicans

made a surprise gain in Kentucky where Mr Mitch McConneil. a local judge, ousted Senator Walter Huddleston a prominent member of the Democratic hierarchy.

The Republicans failed in their effor to take the Massachusetts seat vacated by Mr Ray Shamie, a millionaire businessman who had campaigned of a solidly Reaganite platform.

The outcome of the Senate races left the Republicans with a slightly reduced majority of 53 to 47. Although this is a comfortable enough ranjority for the moment, it bodes ill for 1986 when the Republicans could well lose control of the Upper House in that year's congressional elections.

In the House, where Democrats were expected to lose between 13 and 16 seats, it appeared that President Reagan's coat-tails were only half as long as they were in 1980 when the Republicans picked up 33 Because of massive ticket-

splitting by voters in many parts of the country who continued to vote along traditional party lines in gressional races, the President failed to restore the working majority coalition of Rupublicans and conservative "boll weevil" southern Democrats that pushed through his radical economic programme during the first two years of his

There were several important

them two l'1-term Congress-men, Mr Clarence Long (Dem.

Dec 17: 538 members of the

Elector al College cast their votes for the presidency.

Jan 7, 1985: The Electoral College formally selects Mr Reagan as the next President. Jan 21: President Reagan is inaugurated,

in the House. The ticket-splitting, in which voters demonstrated their determination to control the power they gave Mr Reagan in the presidential ballot, showed up strikingly in a number of

casualties in the House, among

Maryland) and Mr Joseph Minish (Dem, New Jersey). Mr Gerry Studds retained his Massachusetts seat for the Democrats despite his House

(Dem) who was convicted of extortion last summer, was

nor. The only other one, Mrs Martha Layne Collins, is

New Mexico New York North Carolina North Dakota Ohio Oklehoma Oragon Pennayivania Rhode Island South Carolina Termessee

HOW THE POPULAR VOTE SPLIT STATE BY STATE

West Virginia Wisconsin Missission

Yet the similarities are striking. Both are politicians of strong inclinations, without being systematic political operators. This means that they often have not thought through bow to put their inclinations into practice and have failed to provide for others to do that thinking for them. Their inclinations arouse radical expectations, but often the preparation has not been done to turn those inclinations into practical policies.

Reagan suffer a similar fate? His inclinations probably el him in two directi towards arms control and reducing the budget difficit. There is no reason to doubt his sincerity in either case, but he

the delicit is that, while he has an inclination to cut it. he has other, conflicting inclinations which up to now have been stronger. He is most unlikely to be able to reduce it significantly

probably both. Yet throughout his first term he was not prepared to pay either of those political prices. nor to reconcile himself to a high and mounting deficit. He failed to choose between irrec-

Perhaps he will be willing to do so now. But I suspect that. uniess economic pressures intensify, he will be content to remain the prisoner of conflicting inclinations.

books beckon

On arms control, he may encounter two quite separate that, despite all the

able settlement. All that the United States can do is to be All the indications are that Mr Reagan wants to do so. He has reached that stage, which comes to most presidents, when the history books beckon. But while Mr Reagan is not easily programmed by his staff, as so many of his critics imagine, he

is not a man who finds it easy to push his own programme

makes this difficult. So a great deal will depend upon his choice of aides in this, as in other fields.

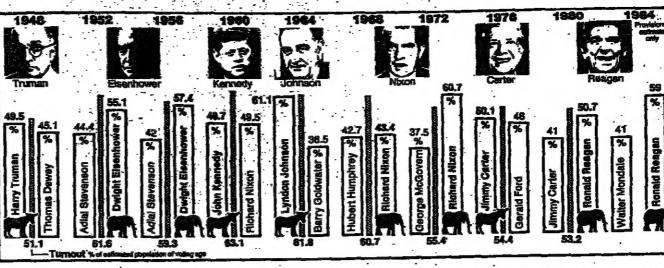
But if he does conclude an

arms deal, he should find it easier than any other recent President to get it ratified by the Senate. It is true that he will be a lame duck President for him to get any radical measures through quickly, and will make all the more apparent his lack of a radical pro-gramme. But I am not convinced that being a lame duck will cripple Mr Reagan all that

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much. His political strength has always lain in his popularity with the public. So long as that lasts. Mr Reagan will not he



Presidential contests since 1948: Popular vote for the main candidates. Official figure for 1984 still not available.

The outcome means that Mr veteran Speaker of the House and the President's primary antagonist in Congress, return as the Democrats' leader in Washington. It also assured the return of the rest of the

Timetable up to Inauguration Day

current Democratic leadership

important districts.

censure last year for having a homosexual affair with a con-gressional page, but Mr Daniel Crane (Rep) who was censured at the same time for having a heterosexual affair with a female page, was defeated. In Kansas Mr. Alex Pazzino

The Republicans have made a net gain of two in the 13 gubernatorial races which took place on Tuesday, They lost North Dakota and Washington but won North Carolina, Rhode Island, Utah and West Virginia. In Vermont Mrs Madeleine Kunin won after a neck-andneck battle to become the nation's second woman gover-

Line-up of winners on their way to new US Congress Tony Hall (78) Michael Oxley (81) Delbert Latta (58) Bob McEwen (80) Michael DeWinc (82) Thomas Kindness (74) Marcy Kaptur (82) Clarence Miller (66) Dennis Eckart (80) John Seiberling (70) Chalmers Wytie (66) Ralph Regula (72) James Traficant Jr (R)

Oklahoma 1 James Jones (72)
2 Mike Synar (78)
3 Wes Watkins (76)
4 Dave McCurdy (80)
5 Mickey Edwards (76)
6 Glenn English (74)

Les AuCoin (74) R 2 Robert Smith (82) D 3 Ron Wyden (80) Jim Weaver (74)

Pennsylvania

Joseph Kolter (82) Richard Schulze (74) Gus Yatron (68) Bob Edgar (74) Curt Weldon . 8 Peter Kostmaver (76) Joseph McDade (62) Joseph McLlade (62)
Paul Kanjorski (D)
John Murtha (74)
Lawrence Coughlin (68)
William Coyne (80)
Don Ritter (78)

Robert Walker (76) George Gekas (82)
Doug Walgren (76)
Bill Goodling (74)
Joseph Gaydos (68) R 21 D 22

Rhode Island D 1 F. J. St Germain (60)

Thomas Hartnett (80) Floyd Spence (70) Butler Derrick (74)

South Dakota

Tennessee

Bart Gordon (D) Don Sundquist (82) Ed Jones (69) Harold Ford (74)

D 5 Jim Moody (82)
R 6 Thomas Petri (79)
D 7 David Obey (69)
R 8 Toby Roth (78)
R 9 FJ. Sensenbrenner Jr (78)

How governors did

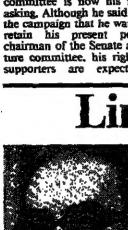
Arkansas D Bill Clinton (78) Delaware R Michael Castle (R) Indiana R Robert Orr (80) Missouri R John Ashcroft (D) Montana D Ted Schwinden (80) New Hampshire R John Supunu (82) North Carolina R James Martin (D) North Dakota D George Sinner (R)

Rhode Island R Edward DiPrete (D) Utah -

Norman Bangeter (D) Vermont D Madeleine Kunis (R) Washington D Booth Gardner (R)



West Virginia R Arch Moore Jr (D)



Jesse Helms Senate

Of the 100 Senate seats, 33 were at stake. They had been occupied by 19 Republicans and 14 Democrats. R or D shows which party has won the eat. The name of each senator is followed by either the date when he or she was first elected or, where the person is a newcomer to the Senate, (R) or (D) indicating the party which previously held the seat.

Alabama D Howell Heflin (78) Alaska R Ted Stevens (68) Arkansas

D David Pryor (78) Colorado R William Armstrong (78) Delaware D Joseph Biden (72) Georgia

D Sam Nunn (72) Idaho R James McClure (72) Illinois D Paul Simon (R)

iowa D Tom Harkin (R) Kansas R Nancy Kassebaum (78)

Kentucky R Mitch McConnell (D) Louisiana D Bennett Johnston (72) Maine R William Cohen (78)

Massachusetts D John Kerry (D) Michigan D Carl Levin (78) R Rudy Boschwitz (78) Mississippi R Thad Cochran (78) Montana

D Max Baucus (78) Nebraska D J.J. Exon (78) New Hampshire Gordon Humphrey (78) **New Jersey** D Bill Bradley (78)

New Mexico North Carolina R Jesse Helms (72) Oklahoma Oregon R Mark Hatfield (66)

Rhode Island D Claiborne Pell (60) South Carolina South Dakota R Larry Pressler (78)

Tennessee

Texas

D Albert Gore Jr (R)

R Phil Gramm (R)

Swwart McKinney (70)

Virginia R John Warner (78) R 4 Stewart McKinney R 5 John Rowland (D) R 6 Nancy Johnson (82) **West Virginia** D Jay Rockefeller (D) Delaware Wyoming R Al Simpson (78)

Alabama

H. L. Callaban (R) Bill Dickinson (64) Bill Nichols (66) Ronnie Flippo (76) D 7 Richard Shelby (78)

Alaska R AL Donald Young (73)

Arizona John McCain (82) Morris Udall (61) R 3 Bob Stump (76) R 4 Eldon Rudd (76) R 5 Jim Kolbe (D)

Arkansas

D | Bill Alexander (68) John Hammerschmidt (66)

California

Douglas Bosco (82) Gene Chapple (80) Robert Matsui (78) Vic Fazio (78) Barbara Boxer (82) George Miller (74) Ronald Dellums (70)

Fortney Stark (72) Don Edwards (62) D 10 Tom Lantos (80) Ed Zschau (82) Norman Mineta (74) Norm Shumway (78) Tony Coelho (78) Leon Panetta (76) Charles Pashayan Jr (78) Richard Lehman (82) Dale Ewen (D)

Bobbi Fiedler (80) Carlos Moorhead (72) Anthony Beilenson (76) Henry Waxman (74) Edward Roybal (62) Howard Berman (82) Mel Levine (82) Julian Dixon (78) Augustus Hawkins (62) Manhew Martinez (82) Mervyn Dymally (80)



Gerry Studds: Democrat survived homosexual scandal to win in Massa-

David Dreier (80) Esteban Torres (82) Jerry Lewis (78) George Brown Jr (62) Al McCandless (82) Robert Dornan (D) W. E. Dannemeyer (78) Robert Badham (76) Bill Lowery (80) Dan Lungren (78) Ron Packard (82) Jim Bates (82) Duncan Hunter (80)

Colorado

Patricia Schroeder (72) Timothy Wirth (74) Michael Strang (D) Hank Brown (80) Ken Kramer (78) Daniel Schaefer (83)

Connecticut D 1 Barbara Kennelly (82) Bruce Morrison (82)

D AL Thomas Carper (82)

Florida

Earl Hutto (78)
Don Fuqua (62)
Charles Bennett (48)
Bill Chappell (68)
Bill McCollum (80) Buddy MacKay (82) Sam Gibbons (62) Bill Young (70) Michael Billrakis (82) Andy Ireland (76) Bill Nelson (78) Tom Lewis (82) Connie Mack (82) Daniel Mica (78)

Clay Shaw Jr (80) Larry Smith (82) William Lehman (72) D 18 Claude Pepper (62) D 19 Danie Fascell (54)

Georgia Lindsay Thomas (82) Charles Hatcher (80) Richard Ray (82) Wyche Fowler Jr (77) 6 News Gingrich (78) 7 George Darden (83) D 7 George Darden (83) D 8 Roy Rowland (82) D 9 Ed Jenkins (72)

D 10 Doug Barnard Jr (76) Hawaii D ! Cec Heftel (76) D 2 Daniel Akaka (76)

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R 1 Larry Craig (80) D 2 Richard Stallings (R) R 2 George Hansen (64) Himois Charles Hayes (83) Gus Savage (80) Martin Russo (74) George O'Brien (72) William Lipinski (82) Henry Hyde (74) Cardiss Collins (73) Dan Rostenkowski (58)

Sidney Yates (48) John Porter (80) Frank Annunzio (64) Philip Crane (69) R 13 Harris Fawell (R) John Grotberg (R) Edward Madigan (72) Lyon Martin (80) Lane Evans (82) R 16 R 18 Robert Michel (56) D 19 Terry Bruce (R) Richard Durbin (82) Melvin Price (44)

D 20 D 21 Indiana Peter Visclosky (D) Daniel Coats (80) Elwood Hillis (70) 6 Dan Burton (82) 7 John Myers (66) 8 Frank McCloskey (82) 8 Richard Mclatyre (D) 9 Lec Hamilton (64)

10 Andrew Jacobs Jr (64) lowa Jim Leach (76) Tom Tauke (78) Cooper Evans (80) Neal Smith (58) R 5 Jim Lightfoot (D) D 6 Berkley Bedell (74) Kansas

R I Pat Roberts (80) D 2 Jim Slattery (82) Jim Slattery (82) R 3 Jan Meyers (R)
D 4 Dan Glickman (76)
R 5 Bob Whittaker (78) Kentucky D 1 Carroll Hubbard Jr (74)
D 2 William Natcher (53)
D 3 Romano Mazzoli (70)
R 4 Gene Snyder (62)
R 5 Harold Rogers (80)
R 6 Larry Hopkins (78)
D 7 Carl Perkins (D)

Louisiana Bob Livingstone (77) Lindy Boggs (73) W. J. Tauzin (80)

Buddy Roemer (80)

Jerry Huckaby (76)

Henson Moore (75) John Breaux (72) Gillis Long (62) Maine John McKernan Jr (82) Olympia Snowe (78) Maryland Roy Dyson (80) Helen Bentley (D) Barbara Mikulski (76)

R 4 Marjorie Holt (72)

This is a list of the newly elected House of Representatives for the Ninety-Ninth Congress of the United States. In the results, issued by Associated Press, the letters D or R indicate which party has won the seat. Then follows the number of the congressional district, the name of the elected representative and, where an incumbent has been reelected, the date in brackets of the year when he or she was first elected. If the person elected is a newcomer to the House, then D or R in brackets after the name indicates which party previously held the seat. AL instead of a district number indicates a representative elected 'at large', where there is only one representative in a state. * indicates undecided seats.

Missouri

Montana

Nebraska

Nevada

William Clay (68)

lke Skeiton (76) Alan Wheat (82)

Gene Taylor (72)

R 8 Bill Emerson (80) D 9 Harold Volkmer (76)

D 1 Pat Williams (78) R 2 Ron Marlence (76)

R 1 Douglas Bereuter (78) R 2 Hall Daub (80) R 3 Virginia Smith (74)

D 1 Harry Reid (82) R 2 Barbara Vucanovich (82)

New Hampshire

R 1 Robert Smith (D) R 2 Judd Gregg (80)

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New Mexico

New York

R 1 Manuel Lujan Jr. (68) R 2 Joseph Skeen (80) D 3 Bill Richardson (82)

William Carney (78)

Norman Lent (70)

Thomas Downey (74) Robert Mrszek (82)

Raymond McGrath (80)
Joseph Addabbo (60)
Gary Ackerman (83)
James Scheuer (64)
Thomas Manton (D)

Edolphus Towns (82) Major Owens (82) Stephen Solarz (74)

Stephen Solarz (14)
Guy Molinari (80)
William Green (78)
Charles Rangel (70)
Theodore Weiss (76)
Robert Garcia (78)

Mario Biaggi (68) Joseph DioGuardi (D) Hamilton Fish Jr (68)

Benjamin Gilman (72)

Gerald Solomon (78)

26 David Martin (80)
27 George Wortley (80)
28 Matt McHugh (74)
29 Frank Horton (62)
30 Fred Eckert (R)
31 Jack Kemp (70)
32 John LaFalce (74)
33 Henry Nowak (74)
34 Stanley Lundine (76)

Walter Jones (66) L. T. Valentine Jr (82)

William Cobey Ir (D)
Stephen Neal (74)
Howard Coble (D)

Charles Rose III (72)

W. G. Hefner (74) D. G. Martin (R)

R 10 James Broyhill (62) R 11 William Hendon (D)

North Dakota

Ohio

D AL Byron Dorgan (80)

1 Thomas Luken (74)

North Carolina

Robert Young (76) Richard Gephardt (76)

Thomas Coleman (76)



James Jones: Oklahoma Democrat and chairman of House budget committee victorious after a tough

Steay Hoyer (81) Beverley Byton (78) Parren Mitchell (70) Michael Barnes (78) Massachusetts Silvio Conte (58) Edward Boland (52) Joseph Early (74) Barney Frank (80)

Chester Atkins (D) Nicholas Mavroules (78)

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Edward Markey (76) Thomas O'Neill Jr (52) John Moakley (72) Gerry Studds (72) Brian Donnelly (78) D 11

Michigan
D 1 John Conyers Jr (64)
R 2 Carl Pursell (76) Howard Wolpe (78) Mark Siljander (81) Paul Henry (R) Bob Carr (74) Dale Kildee (76) Bob Traxler (74) Guy Vander Jagt (66) Bill Schuette (D)

Bob Davis (78) David Bonior (76) George Crockett Jr (80) Dennis Hertel (80) D 15 William Ford (64) D 16 John Dingell (55) Sander Levin (82)

Minnesota

Timothy Penny (82) Vin Weber (80) Bill Frenzel (70) Martin Sabo (78) Gerry Sikorski (82) Arlan Stangeland (77) Mississippi

Jamie Whiten (41) Webb Franklin (82) G. V. Montgomery (66)



George Hansen: Idaho for Republican facing jail for financial offences.

Donald Pease (76) Douglas Applegate (76) Edward Feighan (82) Mary Oakar (76) Louis Stokes (68)

Oregon

R 5 Denny Smith (80)

† Thomas Foglietta (80) 2 William Gray III (78) 3Robert Borski (82)

James Florio (74) William Hughes (74) James Howard (64) Christopher Smith (80) Marge Roukema (80) Bernard Dwyer (80) Matthew Rinaldo (72) Robert Roe (69) Robert Torricelli (82) D 10. Peter Rodino Jr (48
R 11. Dean Gallo (D)
R 12. Jim Courter (78)
R 13. James Saxton (R)
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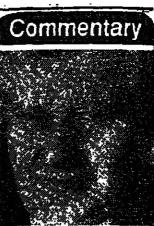
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4 Carroll Campbell (78)
5 John Spratt (82)
6 Robin Tallon (82)

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the governorship of West Virginia from the Demo-

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Geoffrey Smith

President Reagan is in many respects in the same position today as Mrs Thatcher was in June 1983. Like her, he has won a massive victory which never seemed in doubt throughout the campaign. In each case it was a campaign dominated by the personality of the victorious leader.

It was also a bland campaign in which the winning party, ecause it was never under serious pressure, was not forced to make many specific commitments. So Mr Reagan, like Mrs. Thatcher before him, begins his second term as a leader who has aroused radical expectations without a radical

This does not mean that they are a carbon copy of each other, Mrs Thatcher is known as an exceptionally hard worker. Mr Reagan is known for his capacity to relax. That is one of his principal attractions and one of his principal weaknesses. He finds it easier to project the warmth of his personality across a nation. Even those who disapprove of his policies find it hard to dislike him.

That is an advantage which Mrs Thatcher does not enjoy. She attracts admiration more often than affection. People say of Mr Reagan: what a delightul man. They say of Mrs Thatcher: what a remarkable

Will Reagan run out of steam?

That was why Mrs Thatcher was widely thought to have ran out of steam at the beginning of her second term. Will President

will face forwiidable, if different, obstacles in pursuing these

goals.

The difficulty be faces with without either raising taxes or cutting the planned level of defence spending, or more

oncilable objectives.

When the history

problems. It is quite possible optimistic noises, the Soviet Union may simply not be prepared to conclude a reasonready to negotiate seriously.

through the bureaucracy if it encounters resistance. His lack of attention to detail

powerless in the White House.

R 1 James Hansen (80)
D 2 Francos Farley (R)
R 2 David Monson (R)
R 3 Howard Nielson (82) Vermont R AL James Jeffords (74). Virginia

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Utah

Herbert Bateman (82) William Whitehurst (68) Thomas Billey Jr (80) Norman Sisisky (82) D 5 W. C. Daniel (68) D 6 James Olin (82) R 7 French Slaughter (R)
R 8 Stanford Parris (72)
D 9 Frederick Boucher (82)

1 Sam Hall Jr (76)
2 Charles Wilson (72)
3 Strve Barden (82)
4 Ralph Hall (80)
5 John Bryant (82)
Dan Kubiak (D)

Joe Barton (D)

Bill Archer (70) Jack Fields (80)

Jack Brooks (52)

I. J. Pickle (63) Marvin Leath (78)

Jim Wright (54)

Beau Boulter (D) Mac Sweeney (D)

E. de la Garza (64) Ronald Coleman (82) Charles Stenholm (78)

Mickey Leland (78)

Henry Gonzalez (61) Tom Loeffler (78)

A.G. Bustamante (D)

Larry Combest (D)

Tom DeLay (R)

Martin Frost (78)

D 27 Solomon Ortiz (82)

Washington 1 John Miller (R) 2 Al Swift (78) Don Bonker (74)

D 6 Norm Dicks (76)
D 7 Mike Lowry (78)
R 8 Rod Chandler (82). **West Virginia** D 1 Alan Mollohan (82)

Thomas Foley (64)

Norm Dicks (76)

D 2 Harley Staggers Jr (82) D 3 Robert Wise Jr (82) D 4 Nick Rahall II (76)

Wisconsin Les Aspin (70) Robert Kasten Steven Gunderson (80) Gerald Kleczka (84)

Middle-class victory

Mondale goes with dignity

Pretoria euphoria

Beirut warning

Voting patterns

Old loyalties fail and Ferraro factor backfires

From Bailey Morris, Washington

It was supposed to be the year of women in American politics, but it was not. Organized labour was supposed to unite solidly mornings and voted overwhelmingly Republican.

The instant portrait which emerges from the 1984 election campaign is one of middle-class victory and economic solidarity. Never before have so many blue-collar workers and whitevoters and young voters, up- serving at two.

HOW THEY VOTED				
	Regan	Mondala		
Men	62	37		
Women	55	45		
Whites	63	36		
Blacks	11	88		
Union members	45	54		
Protestants	67	33		
Catholics	56	44		
Jews	31	69		
The Young	59	41		

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wardly mobile young proagreed so closely on one issue - in this case the economy - and on the personal merits of the made them less likely to incumbent.

Women, who make up 54 per cent of the American electorate, destroyed the concept that they would vote for the first time as a block, displaying the gender solidarity with Mrs Geraldine Ferraro, the first woman to be nominated as a vice-presiden-

But blacks, who gave Mr Mondale 88 per cent of their votes, higher even than the 82 per cent which went to former President Carter, did vote as a block. Not since the post-civil war days of reconstruction has there been such a sharp division between white and black voters. particulally in the South.

This year in contrast to the carpetbagger days, the parties were reversed, with southern blacks voting solidly Demovoting heavily Republican.

Polls conducted by ABC Television and The New York Times revealed that a majority of women voted for President behind the Democratic presi-dential candidate, but it did not. cent to 45 per cent margin over The "old world" ethnic blocks Mr Mondale. In addition of Poles, Slavs, Italians, Irish, despite a record number of Scandinavians and Germans women running for national slipped their ancestral political and state offices, their gains

Women ran for the vicepresidency, for 10 Senate seats, 65 House seats, one governorship and six lieutenant governorships. Although the votes were still being counted blue-collar workers and white-collar workers. Catholics and Protestant fundamentalists. old Vollers and young vollers and some vollers and young youn

In the close race for Governor of Vermont was Ms Madeline Kunin was successful, in the House all women incumbents were reelected and one new seat was won by Mrs Helen Bentley, a Republican from Maryland, for a net gain to

Exit polls revealed that the nomination of Ms Ferraro to the Democratic ticket may even have had a negative effect. An NBC Television poil revelaed that although 16 per cent of the voters in the sampling said that the presence of Ms Ferraro on the ticket prompted them to vote Democratic, more than 26 per cent said her nomination support the party.

A weary Ms Ferraro, her voice cracking from the strain of the final gruelling week of the campaign, told her supporters, however, that her candidacy had accomplished something important. "We have run a credible campaign showing that women can run for national office, that women should be considered for national office".

Organized labour was another special interest group which failed to deliver, as has been traditional, for the Demo-

Despite early endorsements by prominent union leaders and unprecedented drive to mobilize the rank and file, labour supported Mr Mondale by a margin of only 54 per cent



Family consolation: Mr Mondale is embraced by his daughter, Eleanor, at the farewell gathering.

Epitaph to a campaign

The departure of a decent man

For a few seconds there was foregone the television men monotonously ticking off the states like bored grocers a sense of desolation. With his usual dignity, Walter Mondale spoke the epitaph to his campaign, his speech of con-cession. He waved, then was taking delivery of beans, the day hung heavily in the Mondale camp. gone from the stage. People wept, and the affectionate

Suddenly, filling the empti-ness, a rock group started a thundering beat. It was like one of those funerals in New Orleans, where a jazz band drives away the sadness. This was the departure of a

decent man. Mr Mondale was

cheers died away.

mannerly, steadfast and stoical in the defeat which he had so long to prepare. Such a fighter was never going to lose his self-respect, but Minnesota, anyway, gave his battered pride some balm and helped him to keep his chin

up by remaining a Mondale island in the Reagan sea. With the overall conclusion

Mondale himself arrived to dot

The last rite, his farewell gathering in the civic centre at St Paul, the statement conceding the election, came as a relief. The poignancy of the event was underscored by the vastness of the hall and the relative smallness of the crowd. like a party where most of the invited guests have not turned As he stepped on to the stage, amid balloons and

There were thousands of empty seats, each with a blue and red Mondale-Ferraro plac-ard in it. The mood of the 2,000 people gathered around the stage was mostly low-key. After all, this was defeat, and these people were witnessing the end of the long political career of the last of the Minnesotan breed. They only erupted into a frenzy of cheering when the news came through that Minproperly brief, generous, for-ward-looking and without a speck of bitterness or recriminesota had stuck, with Mr "A few minutes ago I called the President of the United

He had spent most of the day States and congratulated him at his home near here, in the on his victory", he began. "We quiet suburb of North Oaks, are all Americans. He is our watching his own political burial in the landslide. Then he President and we honour him...we rejoice in our had taken leave of his staff at a "I want to say to my young reception in a hotel, and dined with his family and close aides.

supporters: I know how you feel because I've been there myself. Do not despair. The fight did confetti and the roar of the flagnot end tonight. It begins waving crowd, he looked drained the beaten fighter. He "My loss does not in any looked down into a sea of shiny way diminish the worth of our struggle. The America we want eyes and tear-stained faces and his voice sometimes cracked to build is just as important

tomorrow as it was yesterday.

"I am honoured by all the people who permitted me to with emotion, and fatigue, as he delivered his farewell address. It was a speech which underlined Mondalian strength wage this fight, and I am at peace with the knowledge that I gave it everything I got." and dignity and commitment to long-held principles. It was

World reactions

Tributes pour in to a personal triumph

arms reduction over the next congranulations. four years. There was less

BEIRUT: The Jihad Islami enthusiasm from the communist countries and a warning

West Germany said the result where in Lebanon." The threat. was a great personal success, and Mr Reagan's hardline image had made him a "much misunderstood man" in Europe. Herr Kohl was sure that Mr Reagan would carry out election pledges to seek nuclear arms agreements with Moscow.

PARIS: President Mitterrand's message to Mr Reagan said: I send you my most sincere wishes for the success of your mission, for your personal happiness, and for the prsperity of the American nation, I am sure that the friendly and trustful dialogue between our two countries will be able to develop in the service of peace

and progress in the world."
Mr Reagan's victory has been well received on the whole in France, where support for his economic policies and personal style of leadership have increased as the popularity of M Mitterand and his Socialist Government has declined.

• BRUSSELS: Mr Gaston Thorn, President of the European Commission, cabled the White House to say: "It is with sincere satisfaction and great pleasure that the Commission of the European Communities has learnt of your decisive victory.... I am confident that during your new mandate the spirit of cooperation which characterized your Adminis-tration and the European Commission in the past four years will be pursued and reinforced.

• TEL AVIV: Mr Shimon Peres, the Prime Minister of Israel, said that the whole world would have to take notice of the confidence and trust the American people had expressed in President Reagan in an awcinspiring display of democracy. He noted Mr Reagan's "great and sincere friendship for Israeli democracy" and expressed confidence that cooperation between the two governments would continue.

• ATHENS: in congratulating Mr Reagan. Mr Andreas Papandreou, the Socialist Prime Minister of Greece, and a frequent critic of the Republi-

Government leaders around can Administration, pointedly the world congratulated Presi- omitted the customary good dent Reagan yesterday on his wishes for success, in sharp landslide victory, and expressed contrast with President Karahopes for progress in nuclear manlis's warm telegram of

(Islamic Holy War) took the opportunity to make a new threat to "blow up all American BONN: Chancellor Kohl of interests in Beirut and elsetelephoned to a Beirut newspaper, was addressed "10 every American individual residing in Beirut"

• TOKYO: Mr Yasuhiro Nakasone, the Prime Minister. described Mr Reagan's victory as an "historic, great deed". He said that Japan and the United States should work hand in hand for global peace, prosperity and disarmament.

JOHANNESBURG: In 2

fulsome telegram of congratu-lations, Mr P. W. Botha, the South African State President. said he hoped American-South African relations would "continue to improve on the basis of

mutual respect and trust".
"May your strong leadership contribute to peace and development in southern Africa, as elsewhere, and protect the right of smaller nations to be heard in the forums of the world. May your leadership turn back the forces of international terrorism and frustrate Marxist attempts

The Foreign Minister, Mr R. F. "Pik" Botha, who is on a visit to Israel, said he was grateful for Mr Reagan's victory, adding: "Few southern Africans could hold the view that Mr Walter Mondale would approach our problems with understanding".

· WARSAW: Mr Jerzy Urban, the Polish Government spokesman, said he would withhold substantive comment because "we do not interfere in elections in other countries, unlike the United States. Poland's only contribution to the reelection, he said, appeared to have come in prayers offered for the President in the parish of city that has seen bitter clashes between Solidarity supporters and police.

• PEKING: Wang Zhenyu, the Foreign Ministry spokes-man, said China hoped that Peking-Washington relations would grow, based on American pledges to sever official ties with Taiwan and reduce arms sales to the island.

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They said the move against Mr Shcholokov, aged 73, the former police chief and a close associate of President Brezhnev, signalled that a drive against high-level corruption was gath-

Marshal misses Revolution anniversary

Ustinov parade mystery

From Richard Owen. Moscow

There was serious concern yesterday over the health of Marshal Dmitry Ustinov, the Soviet Defence Minister, after his absence from the annual Red Square military parade, although a fellow Polithuro member insisted that the Marshal had only a cold and a Marshal Ustinov, aged 76, and make an address marking the anniversary of the Revolution. But he falled to appear on Tuesday with the rest of the Polithuro at the traditional

Kremlin meeting. He has not been seen since September 27, when he awarded the Order of Lenin to President Chernenko, and last week he failed to receive Mr S. B. Chavan, the visiting Indian Defence Minister.

the Polithuro looked on from the top of the Lenin mano-leum. He made a speech denoucing the United States for causing East-West tensions, but made no reference to President Reagan's reelection.

Diplomats said Marshal Ustinov's absence could be due to a mild indispostion, but the parade is an important event for the Defence Minister, one of the most powerful men in the kremlin old guard.
Mr Viktor Grishin, the

Moscow Party leader, said Marshal Ustinev merely had a cold and officials said he was

His removal from the scene would affect the power balance in the Politburo.

in the Pointburo.

Television coverage of the parade concentrated on President Chernenko, and the Soviet media also gave prominence to Mr Mikhail Gorbachov, aged 53, who appears to be in an massailable position as the Kremlin second in command. Diplomats said Mr Gorba-

choy's talks in London next menth would give him valuable exposure to a leading Western nuclear power and enhance his stature as a future Soviet leader able to tackle East-West choice of Marshal

The choice of Marshal Sokolov, aged 73, to review the parade in place of Marshal Ustinov suggests that he and not Marshal Sergei Akhromeyev, the new Chief of Staff, is considered First Deputy is considered First Deputy Defence Minister. That in effect downgrades the post of Chief of Staff in the military hierarchy, since Marshal Nikolai Ogarkov, who was dis-missed two months ago, was always regarded as Marshal Ustinov's second-in-command.

There are reports that some Kremlin leaders did not like the idea of Marshai Ogarkov, a military career officer, succeed-ing Marshal Ustinov, a civilian by origin.





Soviet salute: Tanks rumble across Red Square as President Chernenko waves at the October Revolution parade.

Lebanese

pull-out

talks

After several days of bag-gling, the Lebanese Cabinet

convened yesterday at the presidential palace in the suburb of Baabda, east Beirnt,

to discuss strategy for the talks. It also authorized the

six-man Lebanese Army com-

mand to select delegates to the

The Druze leader, Mr Walid

Jumblatt, did not attend the

session, and was reported to be visiting Jordan to resolve a

family problem. But his civil-war ally, the Shia Muslim leader, Mr Nabih Berri, was

present. The two men had

The talks, being held under

southern Lebanon.

tulks.

Hongkong to end British recruitment

Hongkong (AFP) - Hong-kong will stop recruiting British civil servants next year in the run-up to the British colony's 1997 return to China. The Far Eastern Economic Review re-

ported yesterday.

Mr Martin Rowlands, secretary for the Civil Service, said the Government aimed to have local people in all top government posts by 1995,

When the Sino-British joint declaration on Hongkong's future was initialled in September, the Government decided that a British presence would not be required after 1997 and set on a policy of full localization, the Review said. At the moment about 98 per

cent of the 173,200 employees of the Civil Service are local, but the upper echelon posts and the police are dominated by expatriates, most of them While local recruitment be-

came official policy in the 1940s, at least 50 expatriates have been maintained in senior

joint declaration was formally submitted to the sixth National People's Congress standing committee on the first day of its session on Tuesday (Mary Lee) writes). It is expected to be approved by the third session of the Congress which is due to convene in March or April 1985, Mr Peng Zhen, chairman of the standing committee said. The Foreign Minister, Mr Wu

Zuegian, delivered an enthusastic account of the declaration The session is expected to last until November 13. The committee will also discuss the proposal to set up maritime courts in coastal cities and debate China's draft grasslands

Meanwhile. the Foreign Ministry confirmed that no substantal progress had been made at the fifth rond of Sino-Soviet talks on the narmalization of relations. It said a date for the visit to China of the Soviet First Deputy Prime

refused to attend earlier ses-sions called to name a negotiat-Minister, Mr Ivan Arkipov, had still not been settled.

sponsorship of the United Nations, are scheduled to begin today in the town of Nagoura, just north of the Israeli border. • TEL AVIV: The Israelis yesterday sustained their 631st fatality since the invasion of Lebanon in June 1982. Four soldiers were also injured in the midday encounter with guer-rillas in the port city of Sidon (Moshe Brilliant writes).

An Israel radio reporter said the guerrillas alighted from a vehicle parked in an alley and opened fire at Israeli patrols. hitting one vehicle with the first borst. One soldier was shot through the head and killed

Bullet-proof screen for 'Angels' trial

Hamburg (Reuter) - Leather-jacketed Hell's Angels motor cyclists from West Germany. Britain, the US and Holland packed a Hamburg court for the From Our Correspondent Beirut The Lebenese Government has paved the way for the start of talks today with Israel on the start of the trial of 12 West withdrawal of Israel's 15,000 Germans and two Britons on member occupation force from

> racketeering.
> The 14, members of the brotherhood's German chapter, are being tried behind bulletproof glass in the court

charges ranging from rape to

Close call

Middletown, Pennsylvania (AP) - An official study says the core of Three Mile Island's unit 2 nuclear reactor reached at least 4,800°F, just 280° short of a meltdown, during the 1979 accident, rather than the 3,500" estimated earlier.

Riot cash boost

Colombo - The Sri Lankan Cabinet decided to increase by as much as three times compensation to dependants of those killed in last year's ethnic riots.

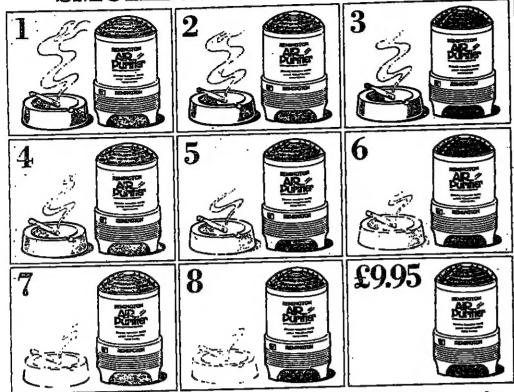
Tories stay top

Ottawa - Voters returned Nova Scotia's Conservative Government to office with 42 of the 52 parliamentary scats - a gain of four.

Gay city

Los Angeles - By a clear two thirds majority, residents of West Hollywood voted to become an independent city and give the United States its first city openly controlled by homosexuals.

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Plea for special Aquino court rejected

From Keith Dalton Manila

President Ferdi nand Marcos yesterday rejected opposition calls for a special "people's court" to try his military chief and 25 others accused of killing Mr Benigno Aquino, his chief Mr Marcos said he was political opponent.

before the ombudsman for preliminary investigation already and it would jeopardize judges are all Marcos judicial procedure and violate appointees.

the constitution if the case was transferred.

The Armed Forces Chief of Staff, General Fabian Ver, two other generals, 22 military men

empowered to have the case Mr Marcos said the case was tried by the Sandigabayan, a

tice Ministry has ruled illegal the controversial sale of the Philippines' largest university to a foreign-backed group that claims meditation can resolve all world problems (AP reports).

The Justice Minister, Mr Estelito P. Mendoza decided the purchase of the University of the East by the Age of Enlightenment Foundation of the Philippines violated the



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Opposition leaders blame **Congress Party for** violence against Sikhs

Opposition leaders in India are Congress offices down the blaming much of the arson, road."
looting and murder which of the veteran party leader and followed the death of Mrs former Prime Minister also Indira Gandhi on officials and drew attention to reports that a legislators of the Ruling Con- Congress MP. Mr Dharam Dass gress(I) Party. Chowdhury Shastri, had tried to intimidate Charan Singh, president of the the police officer in charge of a Dalit Mazdoor Kisan Party south Delhi police station into (DMKP), in an interview with releasing people arrested for The Times said that Congress being in possession of looted Party legislators had "incited goods."This very MP, his name people they had brought in from had been given to us by Sikh the outskirts to burn, loot and if residents of the area as one who possible murder Sikhs".

The chowdhury said that in Lucknow the home of a DMKP legislator who had been sheltering Sikhs was attacked by a mob-led by Congress people. In Delhi an MP's house was attacked by a crowd "who had just come out of the Youth



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had incited mischief himself, the chowdhury said.

Mr Charan Singh is leader of party, newly named, which hopes to become the largest single party in the lower house of the Indian Parliament in elections which now cannot be long delayed. He stands a tolerably good chance of doing so since his organization is concentrated in the agricultural, Hindi-speaking heartland of the country, in Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh and Harvana states, where almost a quarter of the parliamentary scats are found.

He plans to fight the election with accommodations and seat adjustments with all the other "democratic" [non-communist] opposition parties. "Wherever possible we shall fight under one symbol and one flag", he

If he does end up as leader of the largest party he will not refuse the job of Prime Minis-ter, he says. "Why should I? I have certain ideas in my brain that I want to implement for the good of my country, which used culture, but now is fallen on bad days because of the policies of Nehru and his daughter."

fle does not think much either of the policies of Mr Nehru's grandson, the present Prime Minister, Mr Rajiv Gandhi. "Our country is a vast and diverse continent, of which he has not much knowledge or experience", he said.

As for Mr Gandhi's computers, "computers should be used only when it can't be

Mr Charan Singh's views of Mr Charan Singh's views of technology are mostly of the Luddite kind. "We require a kind of economy that will require less capital and employ more people", he said. "We can provide employment for people by encouraging these interprises. We should pay more attention to cottage industries." He will be 83 next month, and desmite a heart street events.

and despite a heart attack seven years ago is remarkably fit. The name of his party gives an idea of the sections of the population he wishes to appeal to. Dalit means lower caste and untouchable Hindus; mazdoor means agricultural labourer; kisan cans farmer.

The party used to be called the Lok Dal or People's Party, but that includes industrialists, hotel owners and big transport owners", he grumbled



Severe measures: President Pinochet declaring the state of siege.

of which were the recent wave justify the declaration of a state of bombings, the deaths of six of siege." Death toll tops 400 after typhoon batters Philippines

From Kelth Dalton

Manile More than 400 people have been killed, hundreds are missing and over 230,000 are homeless after typhoon Agnes battered vast areas of the central Philippines. The devastation was worst on Panay island, 250 miles southeast of Marila miles south-east of Manila, where government television reported 277 people died and almost total destruction

northern coastal villages. Roxas city, the capital of Capiz province, was under floodwater more than four ft

hundred people died. The Red Cross said 95 per cent of the province's houses were destroyed.

deep. City officials said a

The typhoon's 128mph winds churned up 30ft waves, which smashed four coastal towns west of Roxas city, flattening

hundreds of fragile fishermen's huts and washing scores of people out to sea.

Typhoon Agnes was the eighteenth storm to hit the Philippines this year. Because it knocked down power and communication lines when it struck on Monday, the full extend of the death and destruction only became apparent yesterday, when links were restored.

Hundreds of people are have sought shelter in relief missing, including more than a centres set up in schools and hundred fishermen in 18 boats municipal halls."

has decreed a national state of siege to stop what he called the

criminal and terrorist onslaught

clared a state of siege immediately after the 1973 military

extends wide-ranging facilities to the President to relegate, expel from and prohibit entry

into the country, to censor media, communications and

correspondence, to disband

political and labour organiza-

tions and to restrict the right of

under the renewed state of siege

was to impose strict curfew restrictions daily from midnight

President Pinocnet detended the measures by citing the increase in terrorism, examples

The Government's first move

General Pinochet first de-

The present decree

said. "Either their homes were damage totalling hundreds of destroyed or damaged or they millions of dollars.

electoral alliance between Chris-

tian Democrat and Communist

Party student leaders in the

University of Chile. According to the President, those acrs

demonstrated the existence of a

wide process of political insur-

had been crushed on September

of a state of siege General

Pinochet reconfirmed in their

posts the Cabinet members who had handed in their resignations on Monday. The confirmation of the Minister of the Interior

Señor Sergio Onofre Jarpa met

surprise in opposition sectors. A

former president of the Senate,

the Christian Democrat Senor Patricio Aylwin, said "What has

happened is inexplicable ...

One is left with the impression

that this has been a big show to

In addition to the declaration

lost off the southern Panay city of Iloilo. More than 20 provinces in the central island flying non-stop relief and rescue chain reported heavy loss of life operations to the worst-hit and extensive damage.

More than 430,000 people ago, which passed farther south, were affected by the typhoon, a left more than 1,500 people Welfare Ministry spokesman dead and crop and property

Press-case judge attacks foreign influences

From Our Own Correspondent Delbi

foreign press was strikingly placed before the court, and demonstrated yesterday, when a judge in the High Court in Delhi out how Mr Chellaney. "in his cancelled the bail granted to Mr zest for sensation-mongering Brahma Chellaney, a correspondent of the US news agency, Associated Press.

Mr Chellaney has been accused of an offence under the Punjab Censorship Act, and of an offence covered by a draco-nian Terrorist-Affected Areas (Special Courts) Act, as a result of a report which appeared in

The Times in June. Cancellation of his bail has no effect, since Mr Chellaney was granted bail this week by the country's Sapreme Court until November 20. Yesterday his lawyers sought to withdraw his bail petition from the High Court, acting on instructions

infinences" which Government counsel allege, are protecting

The growing hostility of The judge said the relavant lindian officialdom towards the copy of The Times had been added that it had been pointed out how Mr Chellaney, "in his and dubious pleasing of the foreign bosses, has brought out a recklessly distorted and highly inflammatory version of Punjab episode".

> The judge also spoke of the reference by the Government to an editorial in The New York Times seeking the dropping of

the case against Mr Chellaney.

"It is intended that this reflected how the foreign influences are interested in the protection of the petitioner", the

Giving his decision, Mr Justice D. R. Khanna declined anticipatory bail. The application therefore is dismissed".



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RAF prepares for move to Djibouti

OAU meeting may force British famine aid base out of Ethiopia

Famine victims are starving us," he said." We were all in to death by the main road less tears. These are worn-out than 100 miles from Addis Ababa, a senior Oxfam official

said yesterday.
The charity's water engineer. Mr Jim Howard, said families at the roadside were trying to sell their jewelry for food.
"There are tens of thousands of people in the last stages of their lives. People were dying around

shadows of human beings.

Oxfam is setting up emerg-ency feeding camps in the area, but Mr Hugh Goyder, the organization's field director in Ethiopia, said: "The scale of this disaster is beyond us. We need long-term sustained aid on

Envoy denies political exploitation of disaster

Ethiopia's famine and suffering were not being used by its Marxist government for its own political ends, Ethiopia's am-bassador to London, Mr Ayalew Wolde-Giorgis, said

yesterday. He urged Britain and other Western countries to increase aid to Ethiopia on a long-term basis and so help to end the "long history of drought" which was the cause of the

The ambassador told the Press Association be wanted to correct misleading impressions in Britain on how his government was approaching the

tragedy.
"We are overwhelmed by the generosity of the British peop-ie, and will always be grateful. But a number of reports have appeared in Britain suggesting that perhaps we are dragging

Habré's troops

accused of

random killings

By Henry Stankope

Hundreds of killings have

been carried out by government troops in southern Chad in the

past two months, according to

an Amnesty International re-

ilians who have been shot at

random are among those who

have died during operations against opponents of President Habré rule, it is alleged in the latest Amnesty report. Others

The organization, which has

appealed to President Habre to

investigate the allegations, quotes reports from the Moyen

Chari region, where farmers are

said to have been shot as they

worked in the fields, while

others were shot from the backs

of lorries in Bedaya village.

PARIS: The last big convoy

of French military vehicles and equipment left Chad yesterday

for the Cameroon port of Douala to return to France, a

Defence Ministry spokesman

said (Reuter reports).

have disappeared.

Prisoners and unarmed civ-

our feet or can see some political benefit from this calamity."

This was "malicious propa-ganda". Refugees who had fled in thousands to Sudan were beginning to return and disrup-tion by rebel group was being

The Ambassador spoke of suspicions that the limitation on aid from the West, until television highlighted the ex-tent of the famine, was not unconnected with Ethiopia's socialist ideology and its closeness to the Soviet philosophy.

But people should remembe

that the former emperor, Haile Selassie, had operated prob-able the most rigorous feudal system in the world. "People were in virtual slavery. Now they can farm

The RAF may have to transfer its base for famine relief operations from Addis Ababa to

the neighbouring country of Djibouti next week, British government officials said here. The main reason is congestion expected at Addis airport by the arrival of delegates for the Organization of African Unity conference being held in the city next week. Many African heads of state will

arrive in their own aircraft. The former French colony of Diibouti at the neck of the Gulf of Aden is well placed to allow RAF Hercules to fly to the Ethiopian port of Assab where grain for famine victims is airlifted. But maintaining communications with Addis, where the aid programme is centred, would be the main problem

Provisional talks about the RAF transfer have taken place between Britain, Djibouti and Ethiopia, it was confirmed yesterday. A decision is expected before the weekend.

British sources were noncommittal about the possibility that the move might be more than temporary or partly due to pressure from the Soviet Union to remove the RAF and other western air forces from centre stage in Addis Ababa. Russia which is Marxist Ethiopia's main provider of military and other aid is building up its relief operations daily here.

Kohl firm in denying wrongdoing with Flick

From Michael Binyon

Chancellor Helmut Kohl was closely questioned yesterday by a Parliamentary investigation committee over his role in accepting a reported total of DM365,000 (nearly £150,000) for Christian Democratic Party funds from the giant Flick group of companies.

Her Kohl, who vigorously denied any wrongdoing, acknowledges receiving between DM20,000 and 30,000 in cash from Herr Eberhard von Brauchtisch, a former Flick manager awaiting trial on

corruption charges.
He also had to explain the circumstances in which he took over as CDU party chairman from Herr Rainer Barzel, who resigned two weeks ago amid allegations that he accepted some DM1.7m from Flick after his retirement as party leader in 1973. The Chancellor's appearance

Bonn's politicians are not open to bribes. Herr Kohl has insisted there is nothing wrong with properly documented gifts by industry to party funds. However, on Tuesday Herr John-Werner Madaus, a senior Cologne industrialist, was fined DM420,000 for tax evasion in connexion with such gifts. He was the first big donor to be prosecuted. The Public Prosecutor angrily rejected suggestions by Herr Kohl that the

revenue authorities had long



known about those practices courts into treating such cases and had turned a blind eye.

The CDU has rejected a suggestion by Herr Heiner Geissler, its general secretary. before the committee comes at a time when he and his party for full disclosure by Bundestag have been campaigning hard to members of all their outside assue alarmed electors that

> Herr Geissler, anxious to limit the growing damage the Flick affair is causing all the established parties, had appealed to the opposition Social Democrats to adopt a common line on party gifts to overcome what he called the crisis of concidence in parliamentary institutions. But Herr Hans Jochen Vogel, the SDP parlia-mentary leader, rejected his suggestion that the parties should try to influence the

Meanwhile the hapless Free Democrats, whose leading member Otto Graf Lambsdorf is now awaiting trial on corruption charges arising out of Flick payments, have ac-knowledged with embarrassment that the party received about DM 6m from an anony-mous donor in December after the passing of a law making all party donations of more than DM 20,000 publicly declarable by industry. The SDP has appealed to the donor to reveal his identity but has denied rumours that Colonel Gaddafi

Herr Hans-Dietrich Gensch-

of Libya was behind the gift.

mittee today, and the Bundestag will debate the whole affair on November 16. The Bonn Public Prosecutor, however, has said that no criminal proceedings are

• MADRID: Senor Felipe Gonzalez, the Spanish Prime Minister, instructed the Direc-tor of Public Prosecutions yesterday to start proceedings over allegations that money from the Flick concern helped to finance Spanish Socialist Party election victories. The opposition has put down

a question in Parliament demanding that the Prime Minister answer personally reports in the West German press, that the Herr Hans-Dietrich Genscher, the SDP party leader, will be money by the SDP from funds questioned by the Flick com-

Acropolis strip costs £600 Athens - Three young Ameri-cans arrested on the Acropolis to be opened against Herr Reiner Barzel.

cans arrested on the Actrophia after posting for photographs partly in the nude, were jailed for 75 days, but bought off the sentences at £200 each. The lawyer for the three -

Winds force

delay

of space

rescue

in the upper atmosphere forced postponement of yesterday's launch of the shuttle discovery

on an eight-day mission to rescue two wayward satellites and deploy two more in orbit,

(Mohsin Ali writes).
Officials at the Kennedy
Space Centre in Florida re-

ported that weather balloons had recorded an erratic wind shear above 20,000ft that exceeded the shuttle's tolerance

levels.
The lift-off had been due at

8,23 am local time but has been

replanned for today at 7.17 am.

The delay was a disappointment

for Commander Frederick Hauck the pilot, David Walker

and the crew members Anna Fisher. Dale Gardner and

Washington - Swirling winds

William Mullen, Allen Herman and Joseph Freitas - said he would appeal to the Supreme Court on the ground that exposing one's buttocks in public was not an offence under

Bridge horror

Delhi (Reuter) - More trhan 130 children were missing after a rope bridge collapsed near Munnar, Kerala State, the Press Trust of India said.

Dumping protest

Rotterdam (Reuter) - Three Greenpeace rubber craft were chained to the West German ship Rosemary at Rotterdam in protest against German chemi-cal dumping in the North Sea.

Fusion advance Peking (Reuter) - Chinese

energy by controlled nuclear fusion, the new frontier of world nuclear research.

Labour cuts Bangkok (AP) - Vietnam's

trades union federation has told In the round robin the British women lost heavily both to the Netherlands and the USA. workers and public employees

Success claimed for two-day strike

Township death toll rises to 22

The death toll in violent clashes between rioters and police in African townships near Johannesburg on Monday and Tuesday has risen to at least 22 after five more people were killed on Tuesday night.

Army and police units yesterday were patrolling Tembisa north-east of Johannesburg, which saw the worst violence, and other townships on the East Rand. Calm seemed to be returning after the outbursts of arson, looting and stone throw-ing of the previous two days. The violence occurred against

background of a two-day general strike in Transvaal in support of political and economic demands. The strike ended on Tuesday night, and most businesses were reported to be operating normally

yesterday. Although most employers did no more than dock the pay of those workers who stayed at home, Sasol, the strategic oilfrom-coal plant at Secunda in both of which have mainly south-eastern Transvaal, dis- black memberships, as well as of all dismissed workers.

missed 6,000 of its workforce of by 6,600 Africans after they Front a multiracial alliance ignored warnings that they Some liberal English-lanwould be in breach of their guage newspapers normally contracts if they obeyed the

Mr Thami Mali, the chairman of the Transvaal Regional Stayaway Committee, the coordinating body which organized the strike, claimed yesterday that it had been an overwhelming success. It had shown the Government that Africans now had power in their hands and could use it any way

"We cannot go back now any more. Our duty is to step up resistance and create an ungovernable situation and actually force the state to declare some areas liberated zones," he

The strike was supported by the Council of South African Unions and the Federation of South African Trade Unions,

the United Democratic sympathetic to black protest yesterday expressed concern over the level of violence and the use of force against nonstrikers. In an editorial headed "Not the answer", the respected Rand Daily Mail described the strike as "a damaging counterproductive exercise".

Nothing was achieved, the newspaper said, when already under-educated children stayed out of school, when workers absent themselves in times of rife unemployment, when unions supported extravagent

demands and wildcat action. Among the strikers' demands were: a freeze on rents and bus fares; the abolition of the general sales tax and other "unfair" taxes; the resignation of government-backed township councillor, the release of all political prisoners and de-tainees; and the reinstatement

KGB 'ran **Bitov** in London'

From Our Own Correspondent

Mr Oleg Bitov, the Soviet journalist who defected to Britain, was under direct KGB control for almost the whole time he was in British hands, sources close to the Bitov family said yesterday. They said Mr Bitov had returned to Russia via Helsinki under KGB auspices, but not against his

Mr Bitov, a senior editor on the Literary Gazette, was not a KGB agent, but had approached the Soviet embassy three weeks after arriving in Britain in September last year, the sources

said.
The question is whether British intelligence knew he was under KGB control all the time but went along with the deception anyway, or whether British intelligence was itself deceived," one informed ob-

originally defected at the Venice film festival with the vague aim of either making a name for himself in the West or of discovering hidden truths about Western intelligence services for a book to be published in Russia.

"It was a kind of adventure," one source close to him said.
"He wanted to be as well known as his brother Andrei." Andrei Bitov is a leading Soviet author.

Mr Bitov had left the Soviet group in Venice of his own accord, the sources said, and had approached Italian secret agents, who in turn had passed him on to the British. Mr Bitov knows English well, and has made a study of English-language science fiction.

"The story of kidnapping and torture he told when he came back is about as close to the truth as science fiction," source remarked. "It was almost entirely lies." Mr Bitov had sought out

British intelligence, sources said, but after three weeks he began to panic and approached the Soviet Embassy. The KGB had told him not to try to return to Moscow immediately, but to play along with his British intelligence contacts.

Uganda treason case dismissed on technicality

Nairobi - The only British judge of the Ugandan High Court, Mr Justice Peter Allen, yesterday dismissed a charge of treason against a former Ugan-dan Minister, Mr Balaki Kirya, after ruling that a new Ugandan law cannot be applied to offences allegedly committed more than two years ago (our Correspondent writes).

The new law, recently passed by the Ugandan Parliament, extends the offence of treason to cover acts committed outside the country. But Mr Justice Allen said it could not be backdated in order to create an offence which did not exist at

Mr Kirya remains charged with leading the Uganda Free-dom Movement, one of the guerrila groups operating against the Ugandan Govern ment. It was not clear yesterday whether this charge could be heard by itself.

Four other Ugandans and Pakistani are also charged with treason, which carries the death sentence. But the judge also dismissed the main charge aginst the Pakistani yesterday.

British women shine when it counts most In Group A of the open series From a Bridge Correspondent the British men fought back well in the closing rounds,

In the first of today's of the round robin, the British women beat Taiwan 20-10. That meant that they lost ground on third placed France, but remained in fourth position with a lead of three-and-a-half points over Italy.

Italy appeared to have the easier task in the final round when they met India, while Britain met the more experienced Australians.

The British women, however, went off to a flying start, keeping up the pressure for an excellent win, 23-7. Italy lost 16-14 against India.

Qualifiers in the women's series were: I. Netherlands (442); 2. USA (427.5); 3. France (421): 4. Britain 401.75.

averaging 80 per cent in the four rounds to raise themselves to a creditable eighth place. In the women's series the United States will face their strongest challenge from the Netherlands.

The British women, Sandra Landy and Sally Horton, Nicola scientists say they have taken Smith and Pat Davies, all the first step to producing defending world champions, lacked consistency but found their best form when it mat-

tered most.
The team faces a heavy task

in the semi-finals since a proportion of the margin of defeat in the round robin encounter is carried over to the

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Mr Bitov, who claimed at a press conference in September that he had been drugged. kidnapped and tourtured, had

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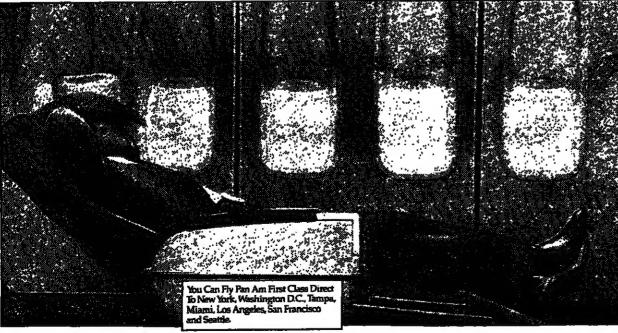
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THE ARTS

The London Film Festival opens next Thursday. David Robinson marks the card for viewers

No duds, duties or fill-ins

an interregnum in the directorbravely stepped into the breach for a year, Bravely, because the job involves considerably more than flicking through some notional mail-order catalogue of the best of world cinema. Finding the films involves a year of dragging around other festivals and film markets, and fighting off suitors while trying to convince other producers that their precious prints will do more good in London than anywhere else.

Even when the producers agree, there still remains the strong possibility that the films' British distributors will be obliged to release them before the festival. It is good news when a film like Kaos opens in London immediately following its Venice premiere; but it is still a loss to the year's festival

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Notwithstanding the dropouts and disappointments, Malcolm has come up with a programme as lively as any recent festival. He has not achieved his ambition of reducing the number of films: there is awesome list of more than 140 titles. Even so, far fewer than usual look in advance like duds, duties or fill-ins. He has moreover made a significant Thus Rivette's L'Amour Par improvement in the 88-page Terre, Gil Brealey's irresistible

programme booklet. There is a special effort this year to bring home to London-Roland Joffe's The Killing ers that the festival belongs to Fields, John Sayles's The the metropolis as a whole and is Brother From Another Planet, not a members-only club Joe Dante's Grendins and

for function. To this effect the Giorgio Moroder's refurbish-America of Ken Wlaschin left shows are being held at a ment of Fritz Lang's Metropolis, number of venues including the though festival self-outs, are all ship of the London Film Lumiere in St Martin's Lane, due to open in London within Festival, the film critic of The the Odeon, Leicester Square, the next four weeks.

Guardian, Derek Malcolm, and the Queen Elizabeth Hall. The single work

works at the London Film Makers' Coop.
The Thames Silents at the

Dominion, Tottenham Court Road, are now a major festival institution. This year Douglas Fairbank's Senior's 1924 The Thief of Bagdad - still visually. with its settings and costumes by William Cameron Menzies, one of the most beautiful films ever made - is to be presented with a new score by Carl Davis,

Though it is hard to offer an easy guide to 140 films, one general principle still applies: it is always better to avoid the obvious big attractions, and to tably over-crowded; yet simply because they are obvious attractions they are likely to be easily seen in the regular Annie's Coming Out, Paul Bartel's Not For Publication,

The single work that stands The Cannon Organization will as the film of the year, Edgar show Konchalovsky's Maria's Reitz's 16-hour German saga Lovers at the Premiere, Shaftes-Heimat – the apotheosis of this bury Avenue on November 22. soap opera formula into art -The screenings of Latin-Ameri- was sold out within minutes on can and American independent the first day of booking; but films will be at the ICA in The there are definite plans for a Mall; and there are shows of series of public weekend mara-Super-8 films and Tape-Slide thon shows soon.

It is much better then to aim for those films which for one reason or another, having nothing to do with their quality may never achieve commercial release. Chief among these this year are three films from Argentina which, because of trade embargos, are being shown by special dispensation which permits only one festival SCIECUING.

The makers of these films, it should be noted, have mostly no good reason to think better than Mrs Thatcher of the era of Galtieri and the generals, Maria Luisa Bemberg, the country's Yosseliani. A comic, musical-first major woman director, chairs fantasia on human greed Luisa Bemberg, the country's fought a long battle against censorship, which applied par-ticularly to the theme of Camila, set in 1847 under a previous bloody dictatorship, Hector Olivera's Funny, Dirty Little War is a black farce about a local civil war in Peronist days. Bebe Kamin's Los chicos de la guerra is an imperfect but deeply felt account of two young men, who become part of the Malvinas immolation.

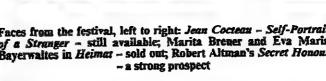
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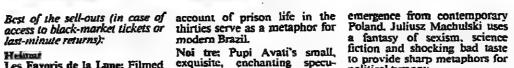






Faces from the festival, left to right: Jean Coctean - Self-Portrait of a Stranger - still available; Marita Brener and Eva Maria Bayerwaltes in Heimat - sold out; Robert Altman's Secret Honour





exquisite, enchanting specupolitical tyranny. lation upon an incident in the Les Princes: Himself a gypsy, life of the boy Mozart during a Tony Gatlif has directed the most vivid, funny and moving impression of the life of urban Best of the still-availables (as at travellers in France. The film Diary For My Children: Marta won the first film award given Meszaros' remarkable autobio-graphical story of teenage life in by the European Parliament.

Year of the Quiet San: Reveals hitherto unfamiliar aspects of the Polish director Krzyzstof Zannussi in its tender treatment of a doomed wartime love affair between a Polish woman and an American soldier. With an outstanding performance by Maya Komarowska.

Beyond Sorrow, Beyond Pain: Agneta Elers-Jarleman's un-

sparing inspiring record of her Secret Honor: Robert Altman fight to rehabilitate her lover says his adaptation of Arnold after he suffered disastrous brain damage in a car accident. Lucy: A brilliantly conceived and executed short about the quest for a relative lost in New A Private Function: Rec-York, by the West German, Verena Rudolph, (Programmed with Committed, a feminist reappraisal of the career of ommendation enough that

Frances Farmer, by Sheila McLaughlin and Lynne Strong prospects not yet viewed: Improper Conduct: The first film directed by the great cameraman Nestor Almendros, in collaboration with Orlando Jimenez Leal, seeks clues to the

weaknesses of Castro's regime in Cuba's irrational official persecution of suspected homo-

says his adaptation of Arnold Stone and Donald Freed's oneman play-portrait of Nixon is just like watching political pornography".

Malcolm Mowbray's first cinema film, set in the austerity years of the forties, is written by Alan Bennett. A Midsummer Night's Dream:

Directed by colourful Celestino Coronado, with Lindsay Kemp and Company.

Stop Making Sense: The talking Heads, filmed in concert by Jonathan Demme.

The Happy Alcoholic: Karl Francis's study of (a very unhappy) alcoholic is his first film in the Welsh language.

Dance All very odd

Second Stride Katie Duck Riverside Studios

Most of the people at Riverside Studios on Tuesday stayed for both houses: two companies working different shifts in the

two halls. It made a long, strange evening good dancers performing very odd things. performing very odd tungs.
Ian Spink's new piece for
Second Stride, Further and
Further into Night, has already
become partly familiar through extracts shown on the BBC Omnibus programme. Viewers were shown how the gestures forming the raw material of his choreography are drawn from Hitchcock's film Notorious. On stage, that process is developed DUL sequences - for an hour or more. and includes brief passages of similarly conversation 100, repeated, augfragmented,

several different people.

As an exercise in style, enhanced by Antony McDonald's elaborate black and white setting (which also doubles up beds, doors and outdoor views), it is interesting makes the emotional tension stagy and excessive. Also, although some of the cast speak

mented and shared out among

rather well, and some move in a way apt to period and context, only Lucy Burge (who sports a marvellous 1940s hairstyle) comes anywhere near doing both equally well.

There was talking, too, in Rutles, which Katie Duck and her Group-O gave on the late shift. Some of it sounded daft enough to have been made up by Katie's cousin Donald. A rutle may be a short, jokey, enigmatic action, of which there are many; or a quaint, hopefully lovable character; or perhaps a routine based on Beatles songs, since they provide most of the accompaniment.

One of the two men (the programme gives biographics, but no way of telling which is which) is tall and quizzical. He and Duck (short, genially bossy) both produce tearaway passages of hectic dancing in short bursts. Theother man, who looks like a masseur or bath attendant, immerses his head in a fish tank to read his fortune in the cards.

The evening began with ilent Partners, Siobhan Silent Partners, Davies's new piece for Second Stride. There was some interesting double-work for Michelle but frustrating, partly because, Smith and Philippe Giraudeau, the lack of continuing narrative, and for members of their Smith and Philippe Giraudeau, supporting groups.

Theatre

Real excitement that soars over history

Les Favoris de la Lune: Filmed

in Paris by the Georgian Otar

- original, deliriously funny and

defying comparison with any-

The World of Tomorrow: Tom

Johnson and Lance Bird's richly

evocative compilation film about the 1939 New York

Not For Publication: The scabrous black comedy of Paul

Bartel (Eating Raoul) is brought

Memories of Prison: Nelson

Pereiras Dos Santos's adap-

tation of Graciliano Ramos's

to bear on the yellow press.

thing else.

World's Fair.

Breaking the Silence ends the evening by under-The Pit

In 1920, when Stephen Poliakoff's play begins, Chekhov at the talkies and narrowly sucful career.

The Revolution's aftermath, and the converted railway carriage where the action takes place (lovingly recreated by Alison Chitty down to the last imperial rococo details and telltale sheep droppings), are a crucible in which father, mother, teenage son and maidservant adapt, find new strengths and adopt protective colourings. Initially sailing in with a frigid "This is rather sordid, isn't it?...I'm not sure the master is John Percival | expecting this", Gemma Jones

standing her husband's job better than he does himself and finally saving his life.

Jason Lake grows from a pampered mini-Tsarevitch into servile courtesy to commissars 60 should still have been alive. and school study projects on Breaking the Stlence modestly drainage. And the selfless, does much to satisfy our devoted Juliet Stevenson, her speculation about the post-Revolution plays he never growing finds dutifulness dee-wrote. And, since Poliakoff's pening into equal affection that own grandfather, like the play's does not preclude rebellion. Her protagonist, was a well-to-do observant resourcefulness, see-Russian Jew who tried to invent ing the master neglecting official the talkies and narrowly sucletters, makes her and his wife ceeded in emigrating, it is also a natural and significant allies in rare instance of a playwright maintaining the charade of his finding drama in his family official work for the benefit of a only to another man.

By contrast, Daniel Massey's paterfamilias proves the adult male's (especially that of the privileged species) inability to adapt or drop pride, entertain-ing an insolent official (John Kane) to dinner as shells of battle rock the carriage and stoically pooh-poohing the approach of arrest and death in a post-Lenin purge. For him the post of railway telephone inspector remains simply a bad joke, a milch-cow and a cover for his previous research.

So much has been poured into this play - culminating in a nastily clear foretasts of Russia's new society dehumanizing and crushing enterprise, the terrors of anarchy and sudden death, the explosive birth of new-found roles for women in society, and the intolcrable heartbreak of exile - that it seems ungrateful to say that something is missing. Yet, and this is no slight to the committed performances in Ron Daniels's production, for much of the evening there is

neither the intensity of close

focus nor, for all the rumbles from the world outside, the

satisfaction of a broader canvas.

Noi tre: Pupi Avati's small,

forties Budapest as the orphan

of a victim of the "cult of

personality". Jean Cocteau: Self-Portrait of a

Stranger (France): By the expatriate Argentinian, Edgardo Cozarinsky, maker of an earlier

masterpiece of compilation,

Sex Mission: A remarkable

trip to Bologna,

time of going to press):

Only the last scene, superlatively played by Miss Jones (especially) and Mr Massey, when the prospect of death forges first a poignant candour and then a brilliant display of technical expertise from her that saves them all, rises to real theatrical excitement and soars above a socio-historical footnote. But the ensemble playing and Mr Poliakoff's effortlessly precise writing are above reproach, and these are characters that I am richer for having

Lyric Theatre

Philharmonia/ Sanderling Festival Hall

Kurt Sanderling's performances can be a bit like the dissected frogs one used to produce at school. The structure is laid bare, but instead of the dispassionate tidiness and the neat labelling of the textbook example, there are jagged knife hacks, blobs that do not quite fit and a slop of gore, all evidence of the effort that has gone into the achievement.

In music that speaks of such effort like Shostakovich's or often Beethoven's, Mr Sanderling can be persuasive, but Bruckner is a different matter. Bruckner knows. To try to disrupt him in his knowledge is almost bound to be fruitless.

So it was in this performance on Tuesday night of the Fourth Symphony, which Mr Sander-ling stretched by using a long text, then stretched again by driving his questions so much at single phrases. The small-scale architecture was often marvellously lucid: particularly so the working out of motifs in instrumental conversations, showing off the Philharmonia's splendid trumpets, smooth norms and a delicious clarinet. But there was absolutely no Brucknerian breath. The first movement was pressed hard Anthony Masters towards nearby goals but not

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Concerts those further off, and the finale three evenings will probably be

Concerto before the interval was an altogether pleasanter experience. Mr Sanderling began trenchantly, marking out prominent rhythmic figure with his characteristic grating chords, but once the soloist, Bernard d'Ascoli, entered he

practically took over.

I suppose this was inevitable: between a blind pianist and a sighted conductor cues can pass in only one direction. However, it was good to hear Mr d'Ascoli's Gluckian nobility of melody communicate itself to the players, and to savour in his solos a dialogue taking place purely within the music, of serenely articulated phrases or brusquer but still perfectly controlled ideas. A pity there

Paul Griffiths

Hermann Prey Wigmore Hall

Tonight Hermann Prey begins his Winter Journey; after B'interreise he turns to the Schwanengesang on Saturday; and on Tuesday he began his short London Schubertiade with Die schöne Müllerin.

Each cycle or group of songs can work powerfully in such a context the one on the other, and the cumulative effect of the

'Now all the youth of

England are on fire'

was a riot of conflicting tempos. fully felt only on Sunday Beethoven's First Piano morning. Tuesday's rendering was rather like a woodcut: dry, finely chiselled and minutely studied. So studied, in fact, that its moments of consummate achievement were for me displaced by a distancing calculation which seemed to grow out of the perhaps unconscious detachment of over-familiarity.

The last four songs, for example, were superbly moulded: the anger of despair, the white numbness of the dry flowers, the half-smothered legato of the Miller's conversations with the brook - each found its pmace easily in Prey's before this he had created a curiously nonchalant sense of equivocation between rude peasant lustiness and cool

The lederhosen-clad jauntiness of the "action" songs, for instance, soon became tiresomely predictable and vocally insubstanial: dotted notes were clipped, triplets ha-ha-ha'd through, so that the impatience of "Ungeguld", and drive of "Mein" became fossilized into mere rhetoric.

The work is, perhaps, lying just a little too deep beneath Mr Prey's skin at this stage in his career to be able to breath freely: what is cries out for is the recharge of rediscovery.

Hilary Finch

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Television Lax drama, won't travel

detective, newly released from prison, whose wife had left him and whose teenage son was missing. These major plotpoints were inescapable. With the insistency of a pneumatic drill, the writer-creator, Roger Marshall, reiterated the same points three times, each time in a scene with an inconsequential character who made no further contribution to the action.

An hour earlier, Dallas (BBC 1) zipped through the Byzantine complexity of the latest Ewing assassination mystery in far more economical style. The entire content of 20 minutes of Legato British television, such as Travelling Man, would make merely a 90-second pre-title sequence in

Travelling Man is destined to take its audience for a leisurely six-week cruise through the canals of the Midlands in the hero's picturesque narrow-boat.

This location is undoubtedly attractive, but its recherche romance does nothing to bridge the plot's considerable credi-bility gap. For instance we saw a tough, Fleet Street crime re-porter offer the newly released convict £5,000 to reveal the whereabouts of stolen loot

worth £100,000. The most credible episode in this package was an embarrassing sequence in which the central character, played by Leigh Lawson, was picked up in a pub by a determined young blonde lady. Possibly her plan is to persuade him to rescue another lame drama series by lending his considerable screen

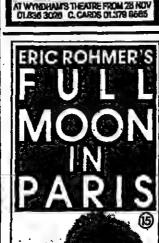
presence to the leading role. There is a snobbery about British television which insists that in this country a mass audience is not patronized and manipulated in the cynical manner which is the norm in America. After an hour of lax drama such as Travelling Man,

By the end of the first part of it is impossible to imagine a Travelling Man (ITV), the season's newest major drama serial, we had discovered that the central character was an exdetering part of the established cult Hill Street Blues - on this series the writers can keep 14 plot lines in play without the slightest wrench of the audience's gullibility.

Celia Brayfield

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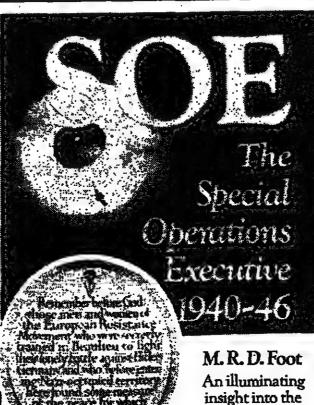
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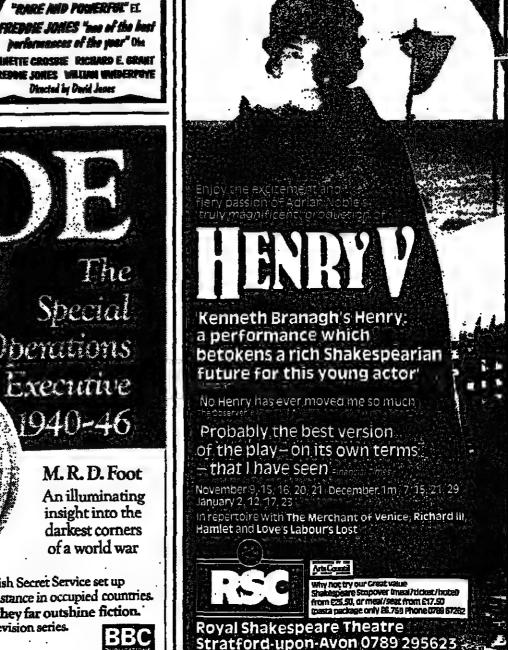
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How the head of the Cranfield Institute became Mrs Thatcher's automatic choice as a government troubleshooter

The pure and applied scientist

The Times Profile: Sir Henry Chilver

somebody to run the Milton Keynes Development Corporation. Where does she look?

She wants a chap to hold the ring while the tangled lines of the old Post Office's mail and telecommunications divisions are sorted out. Who could do it? She needs someone of stature to run the bit of Whitehall most favoured by her Government, the Manpower Services Commission. Where does she go?

There is a problem. Acres of the official lists of the Great and the Good are useless, dank meadows where sprout corpora-tists, friends of Ted, social democrats and worse.
Business ought to be an

obvious source of Big Governranks of British business are, however, hardly bursting with achievers who have not only made their pile but also have the political nous and actually want to do a part-time job, especially at Milton Keynes. This is why the Young brothers (David, late of the MSC, now in the Cabinet, Stuart, chairman of the BBC)

6He is neatly elegant, a creature of the boardroom and lecture hall?

Once upon a time the universities were a reservoir of would-be public "Wheel on a vice-chancellor" was the cry in the days before Mrs Thatcher abolished royal commissions, Nowadays, there is a dangerous air of mutiny on campus. Besides, the current crop of university chieftains not a spangled bunch - are rather withdrawn and monastic.

There are few exceptions, and the most notable is Sir Henry Chilver, Vice-Chancellor and creator of the Cranfield Institute of Technology.

Again and again since 1979, Milton Keynes Development Office, sundry tasks at the by

prescription for undoing the costly failure of the New University of Ulster in

to him. There are few spokes in the information technology Cranfield, Chilver or Chilverand computer specialists.

In a more technocratic once did, Chilver would be better known. Cranfield - still confused by some with Cran-

from a training school set up by the aircraft manufacturers forty years ago, Cranfield now has a wide reputation for teaching and research.

robotics, materials, power and sometimes management; Cranfield sells expertise and, through the application of science, industrial solutions: its flow of cash from industry for research and student sponsorship belies the clicke about the divorce of academe and industry.

industry's appreciation.

elegant, a creature of board-Mrs Thatcher and her ministers advisory committees on the have returned to Cranfield to nation's scientific capacity and load Chilver's trusty shoulders technological potential whose with jobs - chairman of the rhythms were set down by C. P.

National Ecomomic Develop- scientists to be of sufficient ment Council; a muddy job stature to be elected a Fellow of sorting out higher education in the Royal Society. His own When it came to it, the cering department at Cam-politicians funked Chilver's bridge and as Professor of Civil

theory of structures.
It has, however, been con-But they are bound to go back struction of a practical kind that has marked Chilver's tenure at Cranfield. Deploying an energy in teeing up research contracts

He is no Tory but his philosophy of minimizing state funding in higher education and maximizing academics' service in United Kingdom Ltd is impeccably Thatcherite. As Sir Keith Joseph writes his blue-print for higher education and Mr Norman Tebbitt worries about information technology, there is a real sense that Sir Henry Chilver is man of the

society, or an era that celebrated engineers as Britain perhaps well, the Royal Air Force college - is a remarkable success

Most of this is due to Chilver,

in the post since Cranfield was chartered as an institute of technology in 1969, to his team of engineer-therapists (rather than laboratory researchers) and to his philosophy of high-grade, high-tech higher education in which private sector money balances government funding. Chilver's string of directorships is a symbol and a benefit of

Corporation; disinterested Chilver is an academic temporary chairman of the Post engineer, one of the few thought theoretical and "pure" work, developed at the engin-Engineering at University Col-

and establishing courses that

story.
Re-formed as a degree-grant-

Firms come with problems in

If the description "engineer" conjures a picture of machines and hard hats, then it does not apply to Chilver. He is neatly rooms as much as lecture halls, of those back-of-government



Man of the moment: Sir Henry Chilver, academic and problem solver to government and big business

would in business be called entrepreneurial, he has made Cranfield a showcase of R & D.

"The task is to keep change moving first," he says. And so it has been. Built around a Bedfordshire airfield, Cranfield expanded during the 1970s to take over the National Agricultural Engineering College at nearby Silsoe; earlier this year it linked with the Royal Military College of Science at Shriven-

6Cranfield sells expertise and solutions to industry's problems?

Cranfield is not a university, Ralf Dahrendorf told his colleagues at the London School of Economics after a visit; it was more like a "separate R & D section of a range of Hild

True, it has no faculty of arts. It is outside the University Grants Committee's ambit and deals directly with government, which pays about one quarter of its income. But the quality of its degrees, mostly postgraduate, compares. Academic disciplines

apply.
Whatever Cranfield is, there

are critics of Britain's economic performance in the last 20 years who fervently wish there had been five such institutes, not one; who acknowledge that Chilver's market orientation, his ability to service industry without diminishing the quality of research, is a precious

Chilver evidently believes that Cranfield's lessons stem not from him but from its ethos. Ultimately, that is about pride in technology; pride in those who develop and exploit ideas; a belief that the applied scientist deserves as much glory as the pure creator of ideas and Beyond that, Cranfield's man-

agement style - each department has to break even on its own by going out and drumming up research and sponsor-ship - resides in Chilver's belief that groups of academics working together with the minimum external contraint and the bility is the only way to run a

Cranfield grew, Chilver says, because I discovered continuing education, did market research and discovered what firms wanted". The precepts come thick and

fast. All leading academics spend one fifth of their time in

institutions exist to fulfil the needs of students, employers and the state; they should make every effort to find out what those needs are. Government money should be geared to those institutions which are increasing their own wealth.

There is no subject including sociology and the humanities - which cannot attract private money in order to support research; research which does not interest the external world does not deserve support. Universities are not monasteries: what use are monks if they keep their knowledge and their manuscripts to themselves?

All this is, or ought to be, music to the ears of Sir Keith Joseph, but it would be wrong to convict Sir Henry Chilver of ideology. His knighthood, after under Labour. He is what might be called an empirical Thatcherite, someone who has evolved, over time, a personal philo-sophy of how institutions work that accords in broad measure with some of the positions adopted by the Thatcher Ad-

At times Sir Henry Chilver

academic, almost naive in his belief that all good men and true will rationally appraise a problem, deliberate a solution and apply their common wisdom. (His quality of concentration on the single problem at hand has been a good reason for his usefulness in, for example,

the Post Office.) But beneath that there are a politician's instincts and timing. Chilver has been a great persuader of his courts and

presiding over the bifurcation of

We need to break out of 1940s-style patterns of organization?

No iconoclast, he is reluctant to criticize the generations of policy-makers, vice-chancellors and ministers who misaligned Britain's education and economy, who failed to seize the expansion of higher education as the moment to emphasize technological preparedness who created in the polytechnics a failed hybrid.

Yet he believes the Cranfield

moreover. Miles Kington

Dessert rat reporting for duty

"Good morning. I want to join

Excellent idea. Did it my-self. Unbounded opportunities. After a few years you could be

recruitment centre?" "A sense of humour excellent! Now, do you have say

previous experience of this sort

"What sort of thing?"

"Killing people."
"I don't want to kill peopl "Excellent answer, Just a trick question to sort out the psycopaths. As a matter of fact, what do you want to join for? Skiing? Travel? Dressing up?" "The food."

"The food. I've been reading through Egon Ronay's new guide, and the food in the Army sounds my sort of food. Ample,

fessional." "Like eating a lot, do you?"

"And as Egon Ronay said Army feed was good, and there was no other way to sample it. you thought you'd join up, is that it?"

"Something like that." "I see. Is there any particular like to specialize in?

"The desserts." "I beg your pardon?"

"I'm a dessert man myself. Starters are rather over-rated, I always feel. I'd like to be sent somewhere where they do the desserts well. I gather the crumbles and mousses in Germany are exceptional - in fact. the Germans do cakes and pastries pretty well themselves, so I'd like to be sent to Germany."

"Any other requests?" "No. Unless you have anywhere that specializes in sor-bets. That's all, I think."

"Good, Now, listen to me, you horrible little man, I have had a stream of people this week who think that just by joining up they can have a lifetime of stuffing themselves, and I have booted them all out of the door, So if you would care to turn

"I don't want to join up to ext,

"I beg your pardon?" "I have spent the last 10 years training as a chef, sir. Big hotels, they were all right, but too much discipline and pack drill. I got fed up with being shouted at. The Army sounds "break out" of 1940s-style patterns of ownership and organization? Isn't there an interested in the creative side".

"So you want to join the Army Catering Corps? "That's it, sir I want to become a good Army chef, work that she can afford to leave this

my way up, become an officer and end up with high rank." "Ambition, eh?"

"Actually, my ambition is get the name of the Catering Corps changed, and I can only do that with high rank. Catering is a dirty word, sir, these days, with production. You need something nore artistic."

"Like?" "Like the Royal Corps de Cuisine. And a nice nickname. Like The Dessert Rats."

"My dear boy, you are just the sort we are looking for. Sign here immediately.

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MILESTONES IN HIS CAREER

way is a means of recouping

some of the losses and he maintains that the Cranfield

lessons can be applied elswhere

disruptive though they would

le for the sociologists and

He would even, one suspects.

like to have a go at applying

them - as the vice-chancellor of

one of the big universities, perhaps, or as a politician in the

Chilver is 57. He would, he

says, be happy to stay at. Cranfield, developing its inter-

national links, and keeping on

his job at Milton Keynes,

pressing the corporation to maximize the stake of private

But there is a sense that Sir

Henry Chilver is waiting for a

call to other things. Is there not a nationalized industry which

would respond to his radical

conviction that we need to

institution on the Prime Minis-

ter's list that needs Chilver's

Mrs Thatcher's resources of

personnel are surely not so deep

kindred spirit relatively under-

David Walker

managerial philosophy?

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English teachers.

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1982: Fellow of the Royal Society. 1983: Chairman Milton Keynes Development Corporation. 1983: Founded institute of Information Technology, October. 1983: Chairman of BASE Inter-national Ltd.

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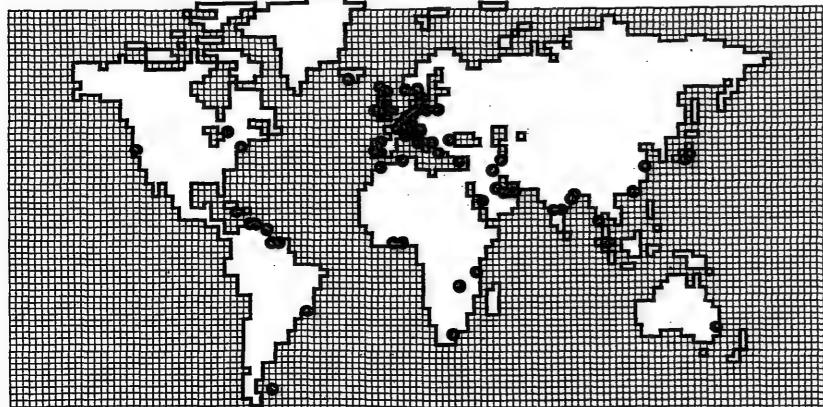
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BOOKS

ere is a sober chronicle of the life of Henry VIII. One might almost conclude that Jasper Ridley was intent or putting off any reader who had come along for the incidental thrills - to see the famous fall of Wolsey, to watch for themselves the executions of noblemen and the vicious tortures of the heretics, to discover the boudoir secrets of six queens and sc forth. All the facts are here, but the vivid detail is so ungenerously handed out that one suspects the author of parsimony. The famous queens, for instance, are kept very much in their place - this is not a source book to be recommended to the romantic novelist. But nor, indeed, is it so very helpful to your honest general reader.

It is quite frustrating to observe the comings and goings of so many celebrated and interesting characters dealt with in such prosaic fashlon, The historian himself becomes something of an executioner. Hele is his thumbnail sketch of the Earl of Surrey: "This handsome, brave," bragging and much-admired young nobleman, soldier and poet wrote charming love poems to the ladis of. the court; but he had a less delcate side to his nature, and took rooms in the city of London, where he could his vices more safely than at his father's household". We get

The old tyrant as our own native Stalin

some details of the vices - the eating of meat in Lent and breaking of windows. But beyond the infor-mation that he wrote "charming love poems to the ladies of the court" (hardly a distinguishing gift in a courtier of the day), who would guess that the man being dispatched in those lines was one of the founding fathers of our poetry? He died in the last days of Henry's reign, apparently the victim of the king's desire to make the country safe for Protestantism after his death. Although this desire looks more like a whim than a policy.

Of course Mr Ridley had a problem: the wealth of incident and character, and the complexity of the story he is telling. But it is hard to follow his narrative from one paragraph to the next, or to perceive the organizing principle in some of the chapters.

What about the overall view of the king and his achievements? Here there is a definite pattern to Mr Ridley's thought. He compares Henry on more than one occasion to Stalin, and his England to the totalitarian state. Taking totalitarian state. Taking Holinshed's figure of 72,000 thieves

and vagabonds hanged during Henry's reign, and showing that the number may not be as exaggerated as all that. Mr Ridley argues that Henry may have put to death over 2 per cent of the population of England, "which equals the pro-portion of the six million Jews exterminated by Hitler, who constituted 2 per cent of the population of occupied Europe, though it falls short of the ten million Russians who are said to have been put to death under Stalin's regime - more than 5 per cent of the USSR."

So a man's life has a value as a proportion of the unit of population? And Henry is on a par with Hitler but far short of Stalin whom he so closely, in other ways, resembles? These are absurd computations, as insulting to the poor old vagabond as to the Jews, And I must say that the other comparisons with totalitarian regimes are more tempting than helpful: the use of spies and informers, the rigging of justice, the importance of propaganda and terror: it sounds convincing for a few moments, but in the art as few moments; but in the end the very evidence provided by Mr Ridley makes one doubt the

James Fenton on the new biography of a demon king

> HENRY VIII By Jasper Ridley Constable, £15



Maillard's picture of Henry at rest

end, the old word tyranny proves more appropriate than totalitarian regime. In the end, the difference between ideological warfare and a religious movement must assert itself. And in the end one becomes curious to know what Mr Ridley's views are on the nature of the society over which Henry is so stridently asserting his control.

In Chapter I we are told

something about what "the Englishman" of the period thought and felt. The Englishman believed in the clergy's power to turn wine and bread into the body and blood of Christ, but he disapproved of the immorality of the clergy. The Englishman expected the king to provide firm government, to hang robbers, to burn heretics, to fight national enemies but prevent civil wars. The Englishman's sense of duty to his king came before anything else; and yet, and yet, the Englishman would accept a successful usurper to the throne if the previous king had been "weak, effeminate, homosexual or a pacifist, especially if he had lost a war". In 1543, says Mr Ridley, "Henry VIII

not homosexual or effeminate, he was not a pacifist, he had won his wars, and no one dared even to contemplate deposing, imprisoning or assassinating him".

This passage forms the conclusion of the first chapter, and seems to announce the theme of the study. Henry, by fulfilling these minimum requirements of a monarch, had kept the Englishman in awe. Other European subjects would never have allowed their lords to be so easily beheaded by a monarch. But Henry was heterosexual enough to get away

The trouble with this theme is that the subsequent book appears to undermine so much of it. Henry may have been secure in 1543, but that was six years after the suppression of the Pilgrimage of Grace, a rebellion which so impressed Henry that he waited four years before visiting York. Mr Ridley tells us that Norfolk had hanged so many rebels in chains he had exhausted the iron supplies of the North-East. Surely in

these circumstances it is one thing to point out that there was no successful usurper waiting in the wings, quite another to argue that nobody would have dared to depose the king: they dared oppose him.

The problem at the back of Mr Ridley's mind is the behaviour of a nation under a tyranny. He writes: "Apart from his weapons of terror and propaganda, Henry won the support of the majority of his people by appealing to their worst instincts to their hatred of Scots and Frenchmen, of idealists, martyrs and 'do-gooders', to their willingness to denounce their neighbours to the authorities". And yet, as if cutting off his nose to spite his face, Henry had allowed those measures of the Reformation which led, Mr Ridley believes, pretty well inevitably to the downfall of monarchy and the rise of democracy. But it does not necess-arily follow that the publication of the Bible in English will cause men to rise and overthrow tyranny, Surely, in a different mood, Mr Ridley could have argued equally convincingly that the importation of "Lutheran" ideas made possible the subsequent flowering of the monar-chy under Elizabeth, Lutheranism and tyranny were able to co-exist, even in this century, even in Luther's country of origin.

Queen of a Castle

Woodrow Wyatt

THE CASTLE DIARIES 1964-70 By Barbara Castle

Weidenfeld & Nicolson, £20 There must be half a million words in this abridged versior of the Castle Diarles. I bave no read them all and I do no intend to. They are mainly tedious descriptions of trivial daily routine or of forgotten events and people. Mrs Castle is neither Pepys nor Boswell. Anxious not to be accused of doctoring her diaries which she typed at the time, she is bequeathing to a university the huge unabridged version so that the enquiring student of pos-terity may check the cuts for probity. A student who engaged in such a task would have to be

Yet there are some nuggets to be extracted: put together in under 100,000 words they would have made an entertaining and possibly significant book. Mrs Castle is an emotional lady with an acerbic outlook on her colleagues. Her chief hate was James Callaghau "I think Jim Callaghan is the most disloyal and damaging member of the whole Government". Speculating on the origin of a rumour about Cabinet squabbles, "Frankly I believe Jim Callaghan is capable of anything."

That was before Callaghan started to sabotage her "In Place of Strife" union reform Bill. Afterwards, "The papers are full of Jim's 'revolt' at the NEC yesterday. Well, they certainly didn't get it from me. I've didn't get it from me. and other union leaders, the merely registered another reason why I should despise him. Cabinet melted until Mrs Castle son why I should despise him. and a surprisingly brave Wilson And on whether Wilson should were isolated. Poor Mrs Castle were isolated. Poor meningless sack Callaghan from the inner Cabinet. "How could we discuss tactics or policy on the Bill with a spy in our midst?" spy in our midst? misbehaviour, which promptly Getting the union reform Bill fell into desuetude.

through would have been her major achievement. Under fire ate. Sometimes he should go colour and style to politics.

and she intrigues against him, Sometimes he is a great Prime Minister and she denounces his detractors. A constant theme is his drinking, "I think he had been taking comfort in his brandy again...". George Brown features in worse condition, "Back to a late reception at Lancaster House for the Commonwealth Prime Ministers' conference, George was rolling round distressingly sozzled: a dreadful beginning to his new job!" Mrs Castle seems to have been fond of this unpre-

dictable man. Her astitude towards Roy Jenkins was that of a rabbit to a snake. "My private téte-à-tête with Roy took place over lunch at No 11. Why do I always feel constrained at these intimate talks? Perhaps because Roy is always so deferential and friendly and I fear the snare because it is a silken one." She tended to couple him with Tony Crosland, "Crosland, of course, having made the right noises, was ready to climb down. I believe that, as far as political leadership is concerned, he and Roy have fatal defects of character.

The Royal Family bowled over this fierce left wing lady. She trills as a schoolgirl at their charm and naturalness. She resorted to countering their insidious attraction by "giving my usual half-bow because I won't curtsey." She is proud of this bizarre way of not being seduced from her Socialist principles: and refers to it again. To some it might seem slightly

She has amusing comments on men. "I've noticed that the weaker men feel their position is, the more they insist on correctitude and protocol. Always a pretty woman, she never disdained to use her femininity to get her way in a man's world. She worked hard and devoured detail, too much from the ultra-left. Hugh Scanlon, President of the Engineers, and other union leaders, the of which she put in her diaries. She was a fighter with a limited vision; though she did wonder whether it was possible for a social democratic governments to run capitalism. Her nostrums were mainly unimaginative relies of the past, apart from her had to accept the meaningless "solemn and binding undertaking" of the TUC to stop union unsuccessful attempt to stop the trade unions strangling the economy. But she brought Her views on Wilson fluctu-

Designing ladies

Fiona MacCarthy

A WOMAN'S TOUCH Women in Design from 1860 to the Present Day By Isabelle Anscombe

Virago, £14.95, paperback £7.95

Though at first sight this may seem a slightly terrible idea, like a Ladies' Day at Sotheby's, the galleries bulging with the works of Betty Joel, Lucie Rie and Ethel Mairet, on closer acquaint support in a detailed acquaintanceship a detailed survey of women's contribution to design over the past century has much to recommend it. Some extraordinary artefacts. Some very odd-ball ladies (since design and more especially the crafts were an escape route for those who had no niche in conventional society, on a par with tea-rooms, I suppose, and market gardening). And, more by implication than didacticism for A Woman's Touch is less overtly feminist than Anthea Callan's Angel in the Studio, so far the only roughly comparable study - it raises some extremely interesting questions of what we mean, or what we think we

It is a high irony of women's movement history that one of the most easily accessible alternatives to the restrictions of domestic life was professional practice of design and decor-ation: the domestic arts themselves provided the way out. on by the artistic yet intrepidly determined Agnes Garrett, sister of Elizabeth Garrett Anderter of Elizabeth Garrett Ander-son and Millicent Fawcett, both famous heroines of the fight for women' rights, who with her cousin Rhoda set up her own firm in the 1870s, a sort of poor man's Morris & Co., designing interiors and furniture and tartiles. The nigneering movetextiles. The pioneering move-ment was taken a stage further by Elsie de Wolle, a name with which to conjure, and the formidable lady decorators of

mean, by woman's art.

New York. Isabelle Anscombe makes a spirited analysis of a gradual change in the shape and stance of women as the languorous Pre-Raphaelite ideals of womanhood and the distraught wraith-like females of the Glasgow decor-ators were replaced by female figures who were jollier and fatter, more resilient and practical, reflecting increased opportunity for self-fulfilment. Certainly in the England of the twenties and the thirties, in that curious equivocal world of the craft workshop, where the women tended to call each other men's names, the ladies in question were phenominally sturdy. They had to be: the work they did was arduous and risky. Just as well that Phyllis Barron known normally as "Barron", a superb fabric printer, had strength enough for two ("a great oak" a friend once called her).

I enjoyed this book im-mensely. It is a heroic story, energetically told, if somewhat breathless in the prose-style. ("Gertrude Jekyll became to gardens what her friend Ruskin was to architecture." Good-ness...) The coverage is wide and many insights very useful: it is exhibitanting to see Charlotte Perriand in sudden isolation from Le Corbusier, by whose self-important shadow she has always been obscured.

There was only one omission I regretted, a strange set-up which both from the point of view of quality of work and bizarre female courage is essential to this history. I mean of course the Tower of Glass, the greatest glory of the Arts and Crafts in Ireland, a femaledominated stained glass school workshop, potent in its symbol-Koyal Marines - first to land ism, known in nationalistic and last to leave, they say. circles as An Tar Gloine.

Desert Island discomfiture and death

Four days after his fiftieth birthday, eminent antiquarian Francis van Thal is on a flight from Hawaii to San Francisco. Two months ago, he was the guest on Desert Island Discs, but the memory gives him little pleasure when the plane's engines cut out. Next thing he knows, van Thal is on a tropical beach, bruised and bloody, though still able to register some spectacular flora and fauna.

He is not alone. A pretty girl from the Home Counties, Ruth Harrison, has survived the crash. So have financier James Bullock and a fourth figure whose character is revealed to the reader by the fact that the author fails to provide him with a Christian name. Richards he is, then Mr Richards, when the rest of the quartet realize what a nasty piece of work they've been washed up with. Not for this one van Thal's liberal values. In fact he can't see why he should share the fruits of his

well-developed survival skills. Once the prospect of an early rescue disappears, Richards rapidly concludes that if three's a crowd, four represents the sort of overmanning which brought British industry to its knees. To his simple, Borstal-trained mind, a cull is clearly in order. But before he can execute it, an Act of God deprives him of his physical advantage over the older men. He is now depen-

FICTION John Nicholson BENEATH THE LIGHTNING AND THE MOON

By Fred Uhlman Duckworth, £7.95 ISLANDERS & FISHERS OF MEN By Yevgeny Zamyatin Salamander Press, £7,95

THE MARSH MARLOWE LETTERS Edited by Brown Craig Brown Heinemann, £6.95

dent on them, though contemptuous of their weakness in not providing him with the fate he had planned for them. It doesn't matter that the introductory scenario of Fred Uhlman's novella is familiar. What does matter is that neither the situation nor the characters

ever deviate from an entirely predictable path. Three-quarters of the cast don't make it to the final curtain, but there are no prizes for spotting the survivor. This is a depressing little book. Not because it offers us new and horrifying insights into what hannens when the thin veneer

of civilization, etc. etc., but armies of reaction, here most because it's written without memorably personified in the much apparent concern for Rev. Dewley, author of The what happens to human beings under any circumstances At 107 pages, Mr Uhlman's

book cannot be accused of prolixity. But it is an epic compared with Yevgeny Zamyatin's Islanders, which runs to all of 60 pages. This is a quirky, engaging little oddity, written in 1917, but unlike its successor We (1920), never previously published in English. Which is strange, because it was written in England, about the English, when its author was over here supervising the construction of Russian icebreakers in the North-East

shipyards. Zamvatin was an iconoclast. beretic who welcomed the October Revolution but was soon in hot water with Soviet authorities for attacking their stifling bureaucracy. He wanted the revolution to be endless and everywhere, not least in genteel English suburbs like Jesmond (the Edgbaston of Newcastle) and Chiswick, where these stories are set.

In both pieces (Fishers of Men is a 20-page fragment) figures representing the lifeforce (a libidinous organist, a rascally lawyer, or the youthful on a collision-course with the

Precepts of Compulsory Salvation and a man whose life is entirely governed by timetables. Zamyatin's perceptions of Great War England are acute, and much of the writing is very funny. Congratulations then to the Salamander Press, not least for finding so sympathetic a pair of translators as Sophie

Fuller and Julian Sacchi. Whether rural savant, Geralo Marsh, and publishing tycoon. Sir Harvey Marlowe, will consider themselves as well served by the editor of their lively if sometimes rambling correspondence is open to question. I am frankly surprised that this idiosyncratic portrait of contemporary cafe-society carries an endorsement from no less a figure than Miss Hermione Lee, and I can reveal that my colleague Prudence Lympet, whose approving comments on Mr Brown Craig Brown's efforts are also quoted on the dustjacket, now regrets her girlish enthusiasm.

Pure joy here, playmates, for all in, or adjacent to, the literary know. It's tough on Clive James. though. After this breathtaking insider's view of London's cultural fast-lane, I'm scion of an ultra-respectable afraid his Brilliant Creatures family who kills for love) are set reads like The Diary of a reads like The Diary of a Nobody.

A mistress of the Sun King

Madame de Maintenon has not had a good press. Louis XIVs elderly, morganatic wife, pious and respectable, devoted to small children and religion, who could be duller? Françoise Chandernagor has put together-an entirely different picture, using Madame de Maintenon's own letters, and contemporary

writings.
Francois d'Aubigny was, all her life, a startling beauty. Born in prison, where her mother had joined her rascally father, her birth was better than ber fortune. As a poor relation of t wealthy family, it was the convent or, as she chose it. marriage to a famous poe. Scarron, who was much older than she, and a helpless cripple

The humiliation of her lie from 16 to 24, when she was til a widow included the ridicule of Scarron's many enemies, and the dreadful shifts to exis in extreme poverty. After his death, ambitious and proud she insinuated herself into the confidence of wealthy women. and rose to become goverress of Madame de Montespan': chil-

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dren by the King. From then on, the King took notice of her, made her his mistress in secret, and married her (also in secret) after the death of the Queen. The book is most convincing. reading almost as a confession

of a woman who has succeeded beyond all her dreams, has seen more of the brilliant spectacle at Versailles, known more of Louis XIV than anyone else in the world, and yet has nothing.

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Sins of the sons...

Among the NUM assets seized by sequestrators Price Waterhouse under the High Court order is the luxurious Surrey home, with swim-ming pool, of Scargill's predecessor, Lord Gormley, who is now, recovering from a stroke. Gormley was given the right to live in the house in Sunbury-on-Thames for a peppercorn rent when he retired two years ago, along with a £35,000 golden handshake, a £10,000-a-year pension, and a £15,000 Daimler Sovereign. (Latest figures for 1982) show he paid £92 a year in rent).
Also sequestrated: "Glencraig", the house in Berkhamsted, Herts, occupied by the union's former general secretary, Lawrence Daly, and the homes of half a dozen other ex-union executives who have now been instructed to pay future rent to a firm of solicitors rather than the NUM, If Scargill persists in defying the law, the courts could eventually order Price Waterhouse to sell the properties - but any potential buyer would face taking on the lot as sitting tenants. In 1982 Scargill described Gormley's refusal to back a strike as "an act of betrayal without parallel in the history of the NUM". So his heart will hardly bleed for Gormley now.

 Robert Maxwell's mercy dash to Ethiopia has earned him a new nickname: Citizen Grain.

Safety zone

Tam Dalyell rang me hurt to the quick yesterday by jibes that after boring everyone to distraction over the Belgrano, he couldn't be bothered to witness Michael Heseltine being grilled before the Commons' foreign affairs committee. He had a prior engagement at Bath University, and, as his leader told Scargill, one can't just break diary dates willy nilly. Just the sort of form one expects from an Etonian.

MAtes

Have students no respect for their ciders any more? Those at Brasenose College, Oxford, have voted to ignore an instruction issued by the college authorities: that college servants should address undergraduates not by their Christian names, but by "Sir" or "Miss".

Look 'ere

For an agonising few minutes, Tory peer Lord Hanson thought he would have to appear at his first opening of Parliament this week in vest and socks. On turning up to be robed, outfitters Ede and Ravenscroft insisted there was no trace of his gowns. "But I ordered them weeks ago," his Lordship replied. Finally, it emerged, they were checking the list under "A". The good baron is a Yorkshireman.

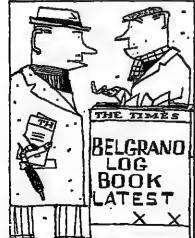
Watch it

A couple buying a combined entry ticket to the National Maritime Museum and Royal Observatory at Greenwich at 11 minutes past three the other day were issued with a ticket stamped "16:11". The world's time-keepers had forgotten to readjust to GMT.

Cold feet

Democracy has been temporarily suspended in the left-wing Campaign for Labour Party Democracy.
Its AGM, scheduled for January and constitutionally required to be held before March I, has been postponed - along with executive elections. The reason? If the miners' strike continues, the hall may not be heated, says CLPD secretary Vladimir Derer implausibly. "We've had that experience in the past and don't want to inflict it on our members He also experienced, in an unruly attempt to oust CLDP officers by rank and file

BARRY FANTONI



'There's some confusion about who gave the order to lose it'

Sinking feeling

Alexander Haig risks being well and truly embroiled in what he calls "Mrs Thatcher's Watergate" if he accepts an invitation to give evidence on the Belgrano affair to the Commons foreign affairs committee. Britain's former ambassador in Peru, Charles Wallace - the man who Haig claims was present while the Peruvian peace plans were being negotiated in Lima - has agreed to give evidence before the committee next Wednesday.

The Foreign Office insist Wallace
- now Our Man in Uruguay - was not. Whether either man is prepared to risk a confrontation remains to be seen. Meanwhile I also learn the committee has agreed to call Sir John Nott, but is now investigating whether, as a former minister, he is entitled to decline. PHS not looking, it sneaks furtively out

On a count of three, let us all stop worrying about Mr Scargill and turn our attention instead to Messrs Austin Rover on the one hand, and the liford photographic firm on the other. Mr S has long since forgotten, if indeed he ever knew, Healey's

Law: When in a hole, stop digging". But the developments among the cars and the cameras seem to me to offer the traditional patch of blue sky big enough to make a cat a pair of pyjamas, which signifies good weather on the way. Ilford were the first employers to go to the courts (last week) for an order. force scarcely more than moments before, to oblige the General and Municipal (etc) Workers Union to refrain and desist, on pain of losing their immunity to a civil suit, from taking industrial action without holding a secret ballot among their members at Ilford. Austin Rover have just obtained a similar injunction, but the very fact that the Austin management are prepared to be the second employer to take such action is sufficiently significant to enlarge the patch of blue to a size - it traditional alternative test suitable for making a sailor a pair of

trousers. The General and Municipal complied with the court's order, and held a ballot; it showed a very large majority, among those voting, for the industrial action the union was proposing. Score one for democracy. Until the unions obey, we shall not know whether there members will

vote to stay in or go out. But the result of the ballot is not the most important aspect of this affair. Indeed, it is not important at all; one swallow may not make a summer, but it signifies that summer is on the way, and even if it should sit shivering in its feathers that will remain true. I believe that the leaders of the trade union movement have no idea of what is coming, which is that the sky will soon be so full of swallows that they will blot out the very sun. Mr Tebbit speaking of the legislation intro-duced when he was Employment Secretary, said he was going to hit the unions with the most powerful weapon ever used against them, to wit, democracy. And the effect of that weapon on the industrial scene is the summer announced, with however faint and feeble a cheep, by the swallows of liford and Coventry.

Just contemplate for a moment, if

you would, a fact which only a few

months ago would have seemed

Bernard Levin: the way we live now

Summer breeze but an icy blast to the TUC

incredibles both the ACTT and ASTMS will almost certainly soon cease to have a political fund with which to support the Labour Party. These unions are led by men of the left; of the fellow-travelling left in the case of the former, of what might be called the eccentric left in the case of the latter. But both of them have: been so firmly in the Labour camp for so lone that it seemed as though nothing but an earthquake would shift any part of their political

Nor would it, but the earthquake has taken place, in the form of the legislation obliging unions to ballot their members on the very existence of a political fund used for party purposes; ASTMS already has a majority of its members willing to go through the cumbersome contracting-out method of refusing to pay the political levy, and the ACTT's silent majority are very likely to follow Mr Jenkins's lot and vote against having such a fund. It is, I suppose, possible that either or both of these unions will at least for a time, refuse to hold the required ballot; it will not take long, if they do, before there is a huge expansion the cream-bun manufacturing industry (very welcome in the fight to reduce unemployment), based on the massively increased demand for its products from the lawyers engaged in the litigation involved for this law, too, allows for injunctions and mandamuses and certioraris and other furry little creatures, and there will be no lack of volunteers willing to go to court to get them.

Much of the new legislation gives

a right of access to the courts not only for employers but for em-ployees also; faced, for instance, with a backbench revolt, Mr King went some way towards the individual postal ballot of union

members by allowing members dissatisfied with the workplace ballot to go to law for an order directing the union to hold one, and I have no doubt that there will be union members (shown the way by the courage of the miners who took Mr Scargill to court) who will avail

themselves of the right.

The fact that a majority of trade union members at the last general election did not vote Labour would have woken the dead (or a fox from his lair) in the morning, but the general council of the TUC, deaf and blind and comatose, took no notice (nor did the Labour Party, for that matter), and has proceeded, despite Mr Murray's brief flirtation with common sense, to behave as though nothing untoward had happened. But something quite extraordinary, unprecedented and very untoward indeed has happened; the unionized members of the working classes have been given the power to defy the hitherto implacable determination of their leaders to keep them poor. Whence this resolve came in the first place I have never been able todetermine.At times, it had seemed (could there be a better example than the miners' strike?) as though the workers longed to stay in their ghettoes of inferior housing inferior clothing, inferior education, inferior holidays, inferior lives; I have repeatedly argued that that apparent longing is an optical illusion, for it is not the workers who want to stay submerged, who want their firms to do badly to spite the bosses even though they are spiting themselves even more - it is their union leaders The real power of the trade unions has not for a long time (if ever) been over the employers; it has been over the union members, and the power, as I say, has been used solely to stop them getting ideas, let alone furniture, above their station.

No doubt the Tories introduced their employment legislation be-cause they believe that the more fixed wealth a family has, in the form of a house, an investment, a private insurance policy, the less inclined the members of the family will be to vote Conservative either. But the wealth with which a house or a packet of shares in British Telecom may be acquired is far more easily within reach of the mass of working people if they are set free to earn as much as their best efforts can bring them. And it is the restrictions on such efforts, imposed by union leaders, which the Tories' employment legislation (and its income-tax policy, too) is designed ultimately to sweep away.

That will not happen very quickly. First, the machinery of the new laws will be used to stop industrial action unwanted by the union members - for industrial action, after all, inevitably means loss of earnings; gradually the horizons will broaden. Poor Anthony Eden was much ridiculed for saying that his vision for Britain was "a property-owning democracy", and since it was the only thing he ever said that anybody has ever remembered, the derision was doubly unkind. But he had got hold

of a great truth, for all that.

A lumperproletariat is essential to the dreams of the fascist left; helots may be manipulated far more easily than freemen, (Local councils who will not allow their tenants to paint their front doors an unauthorized colour provide one of the two perfect symbols of this fact.) But I believe that the future will see a greatly accelerated development of something that has already been happening for a long time in Britain; the dissolution of the lumpenproletarice and the rise of the manuallabour middle-class. (The other perfect symbol is the fanatics' foaming hatred of the very concept of a middle-class - a harred correctly concieved, for its growth means death to their hopes.) And so, despite all the gloomy

redictions of ruin or at least further decline, I remain optimistic. The present government's employment and union legislation will not in itself turn this country into Paradise. But it will give not only hope but weapons to those struggling to make it at any rate a better place to live in. Hark! Was that not the sound of a

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John Carlin on the Sandinistas' failure to face reality

Kids who just won't grow up

San Salvador
In the aftermath of the election, and amid the row over the Soviet MiGs. the Sandinistas retain their grip on Nicaragua after five years : in power. But their efforts to construct a socialist state in the United States' "backyard" still look daily more frenzied, and the possible effects increasingly dangerous.

History is proving one of the Sandinistas' great martyr-heroes to have been an enlightened prophet. Carlos Fonseca, a guerrilla com-mander killed in 1976, once observed that his countrymen could carry out insurrections but knew

The Sandinistas say they are trying to consolidate their revolution, but in fact it is being undermined. Politically - not least after the controversial elections the Sandinistas are losing credibility. Militarily, the threat from the American-backed "contra" insur-

gents is growing stronger.
The United States, which could have been appeased, has been antagonized. The Roman Catholic Church, to which nearly all of Nicaragua's three million inhabitants belong, has been turned into an implacable enemy. Many who were once enthusiastic Sandinista suoporters have become disenchanted.

and foreign allies exasperated. El Salvador's left-wing rebels find it hard to disguise their scorn for the Nicaraguans whom President Reaean maintains are their chief line of support. Privately, leaders of the Farabundo Marti National Liber-ation Front (FMLN) have expressed dismay at the Sandinistas' apparent incapacity to grasp that realpolitik short term - especially to the United States - if long-term goals are to be

According to some sources in Managua the Cubans, who have provided assistance both military and social, perceive the nine-man revolutionary junta as its own worst

The fact is that, as Fonseca indicated, the Sandinistas are more rebels than revolutionaries. They possess an iconoclastic instinct but lack the qualities necessary to govern a nation. They say they admire the Soviet bloc countries but they lack their patient, strategic habit of mind. "We are romantics, we are dreamers", says Omar Cabezas, guerrilla leader turned

Life, particularly for the scribbling

classes, sometimes seems to consist of one long hunt for the mot juste,

the parole that conveys the nuance most precisely, the word that rings



Vote Sandinista: but where is the country going?

authority".

Sandinista ideologue, "You have to dream. If not you kill the revol-

Rafael Somarriba is a Nicaraguan who was one of the architects of the Cuban revolution in the early 1960s. Contrary to Cabezas, he believes it is precisely the Sandinistas' naive romanticism that will be the death

of their revolution. For a time, Somarriba was Che Guevara's private secretary, and took up arms against Somoza in the 1940s and '50s, before most of the present Sandinista faithful had been born. His feelings about their leadership have evolved since the Somoza overthrow in 1979 from open sympathy, to contempt, to

Like the Sandinistas he believes that an American invasion is, sooner or later, inevitable. Unlike them, he thinks such an apparently inexorable course of events could have been avoided, "were it not for the

Sandinistas' adolescent urge to kick out at any and every image of

Not content with defeating Somoza, the Sandinistas have sought new worlds to conquer. Close at hand they have found the United States and the Roman Catholic establishment. "Even Hitler had the good political sense not to offend the Vatican", says Somarriba, who identifies the Sandinistas' treatment of the church as the crucial blunder in their failure to cement the revolution, sowing instead internal

On his Central American tour last year, the Pope gave an open air mass in Managua. During the mass crowds of young Sandinistas, orchestrated by party leaders, jeered and chanted revolutionary slogans, drowning out his words. The Pope left Nicaragua in a rage. A few days before the Pope arrived in Managua, the Sandinistas

Church's principal spokesman, Father Bismarck Carvallo, having an affair. A group belonging to the official "Sandinista Youth" movement went to the woman's house at night and pulled a naked Carvallo out into the street. There, waiting for him, were photographers from the offical government newspaper, and the story was front page news the next day.
"Pranksterism", says a European

diplomat in Managua, "appears to be part of the political code of conduct here." This is consistent with the Sandinistas' electoral platform. "Being young", it reads, was the most dangerous crime of all under Somoza...it was 'the kids' who disposed the dictator and who today bear the conscience and the spirit of change."

Half of Nicaragua's population is under 18 years of age, and sixteenyear-olds were given the vote for Sunday's election. It is they who have set the political tone

Somarriba believes the Sandinistas should act with more deference. By refusing to accept, with at least a politic show of meckness, the inescapable truth that the United States is the chief determinant of political events in Central America, he believes, the Sandinistas are simply bringing forward the day when the Nicaraguan sky will be darkened with American warplanes.

Jorge Cano is a lieutenant in the 40,000-strong Sandinista Popular Army who fought for two years with the guerrilla Sandinista National Liberation Front before it became the government. "If the Americans invade", he says, "all three million of us Nicaraguans will take up arms and give every last drop of blood to defend our sovereignty. My wife, my children, my mother, we'll all die if need be if that's the only way to reach peace." The same words you hear soldiers and reservists say up

and down the country. Impeded from laying the foundations for a society on their own absolute terms, the Sandinistas are preparing instead to dig their own graves. But it may not be just their own. Balancing on a knife edge may be admirable in an individual, but is questionable in the rulers of a nation like Nicaragua, the potential epi-centre of a war whose toll in human suffering could far surpass the horrors the region has grown accustomed to in recent years.

you are engaged in the quest. Often

Rivalling Roget

New words and new meanings, by Philip Howard

up three bells on the word-processor, provoking a shower of coins; the locution, the vocable, the cliché, the of the undergrowth of my subcon-scious, and I can pounce. But sometimes it does not emerge or expression, the utterance, the exact way to convey meaning that brings a thin smile to the lips of the oldest comes too late after the piece is sub-editor, and has the readers letting go of the straps on the Central away, or in the middle of the night, when it would be more fun to be sleeping. For this perplexity, we Line to applaud, and falling over. Proust, poor sap, used to roll around have the thesaurus. gnashing his teeth at the cork floor in the intolerable wrestle for words There is a euphemism for you. and meanings: at least, according to Dorothy Parker. But all of us get stuck for a word sometimes, not just Thesaurus is the Latin for a treasure

or treasury, as in Horace, Odes III, 24: "Richer than the intact thesaurus when we are doing the crossword. of the Arabs." What a tresaurus The question is, what do we do means in modern English is a book of information about a particular We can sing out to a colleague: subject, especially a book of words grouped according to their meaning. When stuck for a word, you grab a "What's the 14-letter word for the head of a human joined to an animal body? Begins with A. It's on the tip thesaurus and inspect the field. A of my tongue." But he, being busy too, probably replies crossly: "Arti-choke".. I find it a help to more straightforward name for the bit shifty about using it, since it concentrate on something else, so that when the mot juste thinks I am announces bluntly that we have failed: that our vocabulary is not as well endowed as Dr Johnson's or

Bertie Russell's, and that we are having to cheat by looking it up. The ingenious house of Collins has just published its first Thesaurus, subtitled down-page, "A Creative A-Z Wordfinder in Dictionary Form." The sting lies in the tail of the subtitle, "in Dictionary Form." The principal rival is, of course, dear old Roget, first published in 1852, and frequently republished in both the United Kingdom and the United States, most recently in 1982 in this country. And the delightful but dotty eccentricity of Roget is that it is arranged not alphabetically, in dictionary form, but in sections measureless to man, with such marvellous titles as "Conditional social volition." To find a word in Roget, you first have to look in the index, select the meaning that comes closest to what you are looking for, and then plunge into the sections. It is as much firm as hunting the Snark. Often the word comes to you while your tongue.

you give up, and do what you should have done in the first place when in doubt in writing simplify, dear boy. The only rival to Collins in the field of thesaurus arranged alphabe-tically is Rodale's Synonym Finder, which is bigger, but is an American publication, and therefore gives slightly different connotations, nuances, and frequences for some words. Welcome aboard the word-ship, Collins Thesaurus. We must use you carefully, like a sharp-shooter's rifle to bit the precise mat juste, not as a machine gun to spray our prose with elegant variation and pudder. There are no exact synonyms in English. London pride and Saxifraga umbrosa are the same pretty little plant, but the words have quite different uses and connotations. Undernourishment is not quite the same thing as malnutrition. Used judiciously and parsimoniously a thesaurus can make you more articulate, fluent, forceful, graceful, moving, persuas ive, silver-tongued, stirring, well-expressed. At any rate it may prevent you going bananas trying to remember the mot juste on the tip of **Ronald Butt**

Bring coal in from the cold

It is now the common political opinion that Mr Ian MacGregor, the coal board's chairman, has handled the strike in the coalfields ineptly and has been maladroit in his responses to Mr Scargill's manocuvres. This view has been solidified by Mr MacGregor's errors in public relations last week after the revelations of Mr Scargill's contacts with Colonel Gaddafi's Libya.

Yet that was simply the culmination of weeks of criticism of Mr MacGregor's management and public relations techniques by politicians. Tacitum and somewhat shy, he has been no match for Mr Scargill as a political communicator. Although all the flexibility has come from the coal board and none from Mr Scargill, Mr MacGregor has often wrongly given the impression that obduracy was as much his personal characeristic as it is the bedrock of Mr Scargill's strategy. Ministers have not disguised the anxieties though they are adamant that Mr MacGregor must be sustained in his office until the dispute is over.

Mr MacGregor was given the job to shift the coal industry from unprofitability towards profitability. with the government (as the industry's banker-cum-shareholder) setting the financial framework for his operations. He was to work against the same broad criteria as those by which a private sector industrialist must function, though he was given much more time and financial support. The government then stood back and let him get on with it.

Indeed, Mrs Thatcher was so intent on leaving him to manage, and on establishing this as a purely industrial dispute, that she did not even speak to him for 11 months after his appointment. Not until last July, when the strike was more than four months old did she get in touch with him, and then only by telephone. It is arguable that he was left on his own far too long after the nakedly political nature of the strike had become apparent, and that the Prime Minister should have intervened sooner to tell the nation what the real issues were. But Mrs Thatcher had a reason. She was making a gallant effort, perhaps the last of its sort we shall see, to revive the Morrisonian principle by which responsibility for managing stateowned industries is kept at arm's length from Whitehall.

Yet the ultimate power in a nationalized industry is with the ministers who determine its financial resources but who are not themselves answerable to Parliament about why the trains do not run on time, or why standards generally are poor. State industry chairmen and boards are not masters in their own houses. They are required to act as industrialists, but to do so in a situation which has been politicized because it is a government which lays down the conditions that determine their actions. They thus become political Aunt Sallys, vulnerable to a politician of Mr Scargill's calibre but without the professional qualifications to deal with him.

Yet Mr Scargill can only succeed as he does because he operates in a state-owned industry in which he can make politics his terms of reference. As a union leader in a private industry, he would have got nowhere. As for Mr MacGregor, if he were judged by the same criteria as private sector industrialists, there is not the slightest reason to suppose that he would fail the test. If the

its needs, there is certainly no case against him. If, however, the criterion is an ability to handle a political attack, I suspect that few private industrialists would do

They have neither the experience nor skill to deal with political opposition. Their pronouncements on political matters usually under-estimate the complexity and strength of the pressures politicians face every day. That is why industrialists tend to prescribe simple but politically impossible, if not naive, solutions. Their own sole overriding master, if businesses and jobs are to survive, is the balance

Likewise, no union dare self-destructively force a private sector company to risk bankruptcy since there is (usually) no public sector rescie money available. But that is precisely what a union can do in the politicized public sector. That is why political skills have been required of Mr MacGregor which have no contexion with industrial com-

perdice. The only logical way of de-politi-cizing the coal mines is to split the indistry up and denationalize it by giving it to the miners to own cooperatively. In the now profitable area that is certainly feasible, and it could be done by stages, with the government keeping control only of thoe parts which for the time being have to be sustained by subsidy. But the management problems revealed by his particular strike have a wider

How far is the arm's length principle now generally sustainable in the state industries? Should those which cannot be privatized, but which are still dependent for finance on political decisions, be made the direct responsibility of a minister ansverable to Parliament? (The proposed Bill to give ministers more control over the state industries, which has now been shelved, would not tave met this question.) To this it may be objected that it would mean a return to the Postmaster-General principle now abandoned, It could also be argued that in logic proftable state industries should be still run independently of ministers, andonly those which are dependent on the public purse be brought closer to Vhitehall, and to Parliament.

Bit if a state industry can be run proftably, what is the point of having it run by the state at all? Is it ever necessary for public utilities to be sate-owned, provided the consummer interest is adequately protected against monopoly (and printized British Telecom should giveguidance on that)? Does it make sens for gas prices to be determined by sfight between the Treasury and the Jepartment of Energy?

Tie real case for public ownership is, nesumably, where by political decision, services are to be kept going (like some railway lines) for social purposes (the British Rail accounting, separates the profitmaking from the social element.) But should not a minister be as ansverable about the failure of the trans to run on time as for a scandal

in he health service? hese are questions to which thee are no quick answers. But that is to reason for not asking them. On the contrary, some new thinking is bally needed. Mr MacGregor's experience is a graphic illustration of the truth that politics and business mx very badly. We should not rest content with observing that fact but should do something about it.

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Made in Japan

Paul Jemings

A patriot for mi mi mi

Many people reading the recent news story about the release of the 1936 Home Office papers dealing with the Abdication crisis must surely have had their doubts that the crowds in Downing Street, with which those Scotland Yard detectives mingled, really were singing "patriotic songs."

What patriotic songs? Even today, when the Last Prom has brought a kind of joky revivalism, they have to print the words of "Land of Hope and Glory in the programme. Upand-at-'em songs have long sincegone out of popular musical currency, in major western countries

Nowadays you have to go to the concert platform for real blood and thunder. A lot of it seems to be Russian. For weeks in the Philhar-monia we worked at a syllable-bysyllable transliteration, from a score, with only German and Cyrillic words, of Prokofiev's Alexander Nevsky, and found when we got the programmes on the night of the concert that we were singing, among

O how we fought, how we routed We smashed their warships to kindling Our red blood flowed freely in the for our great Russian motherland. Where our axes swung emerged

an open street.

Our spears thrust a lane through their ranks, etc.

And indeed even in the peaceful bits of Shostakovich's 13th Symphony (words by Yevtushenko), we were singing that Russian women were - well, kind of nobler than other women, even when just shopping: "One in a shawl, one in a scart, as if intent on some heroic mission, into the store, one after another, wordless, the women come, with the clanking of cans, the chinking of bottles. They smell of onions, cucumbers, and Kabul sauce, I freeze as I stand in the long concert version.

queue, but the nearer to the cashier the warmer it gets, from the breath of he many women. These benevolentfamily gods stand silently as they finer their hard-earned money. Rusia's women: our honour and judment ... etc."

Farder to get Kabul sauce in thos days, I dare say. But it's easier to sing this kind of thing in a foreign language than this, for instance, in Elga's Coronation Ode: Tien shall the eye flash fire, and

the valorous heart grow light, Under the drifting smoke, and the scream of the flying shell, when the hillside hisses with death. and never a foe in sight.

(Where were they, then?) Words by A.C. Buson (who in fact wrote the words of "Land of Hope and Glory"). I bet he never heard a flying hell. Falling about, the women of the chorus were, when the basses and tenors started on that, although Elgar's wonderful setting, as usual, nade it terrific in the end. In any use the top nation of the future (if there is one) will, as all acknowledge, be the one that has the best scentists rather than the best soldiers Perhaps there could be a patriotic song celebrating the Atomic Wespons Research Establishment, to the tune of "The British Grenadiers": .

Some talk of Albert Einstein. His MC-squireds and Es. Planck's Quantum they might c'en

We scorn such tricks as these. For of sciences great heroes There's none of such degree With a tow row row row row row As the A. Double-U. R. E. Lord Rutherford was British He split the atom first, His lab it was the Cavendish That sired the nuclear burst; With Cockcroft and with Penny We caused this thirg to be With a tow row roy row row row For the A. Double- II. R. E., etc.

I don't think it yould catch on though. Unless of course there was a

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FOUR MORE YEARS

American people have spoken. attracted an endorsement so general, so complete, so inqualified as that given to M. Reagan for his second term. He is certainly the most inderrated politician of the century. How else can one explain the persistent refusal of commentators and analysis - the denzens of the diplomatic, acalemic and journalistic world- to face up to the profound novement of opinion in Anerican society which has now twice expressed itself so clealy in choosing Ronald Reaga for President?

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One has o start with the Goldwater eleat of 1964. It seemed the (as it seemed in Britain at he start of the first Wilson geemment) that conservatism by conviction was no longer of ontemporary political significare. The Great Society of Presient Johnson and the bumblin corporatism of the Wilson years persisted in their effects aroughout the '70s, since neitherthe Nixon nor the Heath episocs challenged, or were intened to challenge the view that onservatism was a defunct polical philosophy. Reaction aginst these policies must have sited by 1976, but only in a awly seismic way deep in the public conciousness.

It can now be seen that President Reagan and Mrs Thatcher in Britain, both with a double endorsement from their clectorates, were always more in touch with the national mood of their countries than one would suppose from reading fashion-able commentaries. From soon after 1964. Mr Reagan set out to bring conservatism back into main stream American politics by expressing his values in a way which appealed to most Americans, not simply those who thought of themselves as conscrvatives. It is a measure not just of his tenacity but of the underlying popularity of his message that he has prevailed against the cumulative dismissiveness of the sophisticates.

The Economist, for instance, in 1965 described Mr Reagan as "Almost the one Republican" whom the Democratic governor of California could reasonably hope to beat. Governor Reagan subsequently served for two terms. In 1980 The Economist again reacted to his candidature after 1981. by saying "Democrats could scarcely have wished for an easier opponent if they had picked him themselves". Columnists referred frequently to his some key appointments about was described as unthinkable. counted. Washington may have now awaits him.

In their tens of millions the After his victory in 1980. Mr been alive with gossip, but James Reston, doyen of East In the modern history of the Coast commentators, said it had United States no President has left the United States "with a one term President, without fear he will try for another". The cleation, he contended, had further deepened the country's divisions. The New York Times decided that the American people had recoil " all year from having to vote for Mr Reagan. only doing so because the Carter alternative was so awful. That newspaper has witnessed a

different kind of recoil in 1984. To recall these misjudgments is not simply to score debating points but to point out the effects on received European opinion of the very profound misreporting by the East Coast press, which has distorted the true condition of contemporary American politics. The phenomenon of Mr Reagan has been held up repeatedly as some kind of aberration in the world, from which all right-thinking people would dissociate themselves. The same people have persistently denied that Mr Reagan represents real American public opinion. They have argued that his policies, and the clear grand themes which he prefers to enunicate as the philosophical background to those policies, can be ridiculed and discounted.

It is important to be aware of this distortion, arising out of such hostility to Mr Reagan, in order to avoid under-estimating his political strength when assessing the likely consequences of his victory for a second term. Those consequences could be considerable both for domestic American reasons, within the alliance and in the possible play of American foreign policy initiatives elsewhere in the world, on East/West questions, the Middle East and Central America; issues to which we will

Mr Reagan has a mandate. It is a general mandate, and cannot be defined solely through the small print of campaigning statements. To argue otherwise would be to assume that the political memory is wiped clean at the start of each election campaign. In fact the memory of the first Reagan Presidency shows how quickly in domestic affairs his authority to push legislation through Congress seemed to be dissipated, and how he thus lost momentum

Domestically that could mean more conservative legislation. That will crucially depend on

nobody on polling day could predict who President Reagan will choose to carry through his second term programme. One of his defects has been an inability to follow through with his declared policies, often caused by inadequate appointments or just the sheer paucity of experienced conservatives to oil the wheels of Washington. After four years in power there should now be more capable people from lower levels of the previous Administration.

The President need not bother now about the next election, and so should feel freer to push through policies to cut government spending and reduce subsidies for businessmen and the better off; but weighed against that must be the fact of Mr Reagan's age. It would not be surprising if, in domestic terms at least, once he had encountered congressional obstruction in mid-term, he settled back with the memory of yesterday's ringing endorsement to carry him through to the end of a glorious presidency. As one of his conservative supporters has remarked: "He has the toughest job in the world and has handled it with amazing grace". He will always be able to do that, even when confronted with the eternal difficulties of congressional checks and balances. Certainly his principal domestic failure in his first term was an inablility to stop the growth of public spending. Can he now mobilize nationwide support for hard-headed budget cuts without fearing the subsequent electoral consequences of offending every interest group? The congressional arithmetic is not necessarily bound to be against him; and he works his congressional alliances more thoroughly than his friendly image

Details apart, the important point about President Reagan's victory is that he will now operate for some time with the massive authority of such a successful election behind him. That will reinforce his position when dealing with the other functional elements within the American system. It will revive the spirit of the Alliance with governments of the right in London and Bonn and a robustly committed viewpoint in Paris. It will command the respect of adversaries or potential adversaries elsewhere in the world. If one looks back to the dim legacy we will witness early pressure for of the Carter years, one can see the measure of President Reagan's achievement to have restored the power and authority "Neanderthal ideology": the which the President has said of the United States. One can prospect of a Reagan Presidency very little before the votes were also see the opportunity which

STAR CHAMBER WARS

by the belief that a sense of

detachment was essential to the

public sector leaner and more

efficient. Only by forcing depart-

ments to take their own difficult

decisions, the Thatcher Govern-

ment believed, could they be

squeezed into a search for higher

productivity. But this did not answer the question of how

much each department should

ing to hold public spending at a

standstill. Even this seemingly

modest objective is necessarily

complicated by the fact that some elements within the total

have to rise; and the Treasury

cannot make precise long-term

forecasts of these upward press-

ures. So in the run-up to each

financial year it is necessarily

involved in trying to cut back

The buck is passed to a bunch

other programmes to preserve

of senior ministers, ill-equipped

for the task. These luckless "Star

Chambers" have no basis of

comparison of the economic or

social merits of the output of

different departments, because

there is no part of government

whose task it is to provide such

an evaluation. Star Chambers

have to base their judgments on

political instinct (which cuts will

create the most public noise?)

and attitudes to their colleagues

(which spending ministers will

The outcome of such battles

create "he most public trouble?).

will inevitably depend on the

relative weight of the politicians

The Government is attempt-

be squeezed.

the total.

No spending minister has resigned; no central tenet of Government economic strategy has been violated in this year's public expenditure tussle. Very shortly the Chancellor will announce, in his "Autumn Statement", his successful reconciliation of Treasury targets with departmental plans. But the process has once more demonstrated the central weakness in the Government's method of managing its substantial share of British resources.

Ever since public expenditure shot up during the Heath Government in the early 1970s, successive governments have struggled to develop, within the Treasury, an effective set of financial controls. Labour's introduction of cash limits, the Conservatives rate-capping rules; in this sense, these are beads on the same wire. But there has, unfortunately, been no parallel thread of development in the system for planning public

expenditure. Public expenditure is managed by institutional conflict: the Treasury sees its job as defending the purse-strings, departments see their jobs as defending public programmes, and the supposition is that pitting these adversaries against each other will, as in court, lead to the correct verdict. Thus the planning of public expenditure, in the sense of allocating resources to precise objectives, is left to departments. The Treasury can force them to make choices by limiting their spending power. but remains at arm's length from

the choices they make. This antique, and typically

involved; and the public ventilation of their power struggles

> This development is not confined to the product itself, but extends to the methods of manufacture, and it requires a great deal of trained engineering manpower at all levels. It requires a plentiful supply of engineering graduates and skilled technicians, plus an educated, disciplined and motivated work-

British, tradition, was reinforced will equally inevitably be politically damaging. This year's Star Chamber has not proved to be painful business of making the briskly effective at the numbers game. What is more serious is the fact that it can never hope to be efficient in the allocation of resources without a solid foundation of comparative information. This requires the setting-up

within government of some central unit specifically con-cerned with evaluating the functions of government right across departmental boundaries. There are obvious, immediate examples of the need for this. Social security, which accounts for a quarter of all public spending, is currently being examined by its own department a review in isolation which makes no sense, and is likely to result in tinkering adjustments rather than radical reform.

This does not imply the setting up of a new department government, which would simply become a new adversary for the Treasury. The proper place to locate this function is within the Treasury itself. Since it should be concerned specifically with cross-department reviews of the impact of public spending (and, incidentally, of taxation), it would still leave a distinct role to the traditional fieldoms of public services, the major spending departments. But it would provide some core of central judgment, some reasoned ordering of economic and social priorities. This could do much to supercede the annual expenditure trial by conflict, whose latest verdict we are about to receive.

educated workforce on earth. We have an excellent creative and innovative record, but we have, continue to regard engineering and class industries we shall get what we

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Keeping a foot in the door at Unesco

From Professor Malcolm Skilbeck

ment to reform.

heeded by no one.

played a significant part.

of proportion over those,

Sir. Your leader proposing with-drawal from Unesco (November 5)

now in the pipeline, Its voice from

false argument advanced by the

substitute for concrete appraisal of

the structural changes now under

way and a just assessment of what

achieved in many different spheres

of science, education and culture.

This is not to deny its mistakes and

weaknesses, but let us keep a sense

the shortcoming of the organization

reluctance of many people to accept

that the international world is very

Both the constitution and oper-

ation of Unesco still work substan-

tially to the advantage of Western interests and if the US Adminis-

tration is too shortsighted or politically misguided to see this, that

is no reason for Britain to follow

It is sheer defeatism even to

consider withdrawal when all that is

required is a determination to get

into the heart of the action as an

equal partner and to press ahead with the present successful reform

programme. Britain has more to gain diplomatically, economically,

scientifically, and culturally by staying in than by following your

advice, which is tantamount to

sounding a feeble retreat.

MALCOLM SKILBECK,

Education, 20 Bedford Way, WCI.

From Mr Gerald Frost

Chairman, World Education Fellowship).

Curriculum Studies Department. University of London Institute of

Sir, It is apt that Unesco should

have chosen 1984 as the occasion for

presenting a peace prize to a

member of a government - that of the Soviet Union - which is currently at war, and not only at

war, but the aggressor in a brutal

conflict waged against a small and

poorly armed people.
Those familiar with Orwell's 1984

probably have some insight into the "double-think" and "double-talk"

remarks (November 1) on the need

for a means of famine forecasting.

As we are working on this subject

worsening situation in Ethiopia in

However, we wonder whether the

and predicted and documented the

January this year, we wholeheart-

United Nations agencies, individu-

ally or collectively, are capable of

carrying out this task. Despite their

access to satellite imagery and their network of in-country offices with a

wealth of statistics, the UN does not

have much advance idea of where

the potentially worst-affected people

are and when they are likely to

This happens because most UN

defined model of events

agency personnel do not have a

leading to famine, relying instead on crude estimates of food availability

The UN as a whole has yet to be convinced of the reliability of local prefamine indicators reflecting

abnormal social and economic

behaviour, despite the successful use

of the latter as long as a century ago

in British India, and despite their

established predictive value today.

Neither does the UN risk offending

its host country governments, waiting for official declarations of

emergency before acting.

Clearly an independent body is

required to take the lead in this

matter. We would like to respect-

fully point out that we have both the means and a track record in famine

prediction. However, it seems that

the international community is

based on aggregate data.

edly endorse their comments.

Famine in Ethiopia

Frances d'Souza

Yours faithfully

different from what it was in 1945.

programmes

Cri de coeur from the shipyards

From Mr Henry Thelwell

Sir, I am 49, have had asbestosis diagnosed, but am trying to keep my job at the Cammell Laird shipyard in Birkenhead for at least the useful life left in me. Each day I go through picket lines to very much abuse with the jeer that there is no way any of us has a chance of saving our jobs.

None of us wants to be identified with the pickets who have given Merseyside a bad reputation, but there is a deep feeling of resentment building up against the possibility of total closure. If this happens, then I and many of my colleagues will be embittered to the extent that, however irrational it may be, we will probably swing over to the views of those who have helped destroy our

jobs by their disruptive actions.

My time on earth may be limited but my fervent wish is to have the dignity of working whilst I can to support my wife and family. My work colleagues and I ask the Government to give this very skilled workforce a last chance with a good shipbuilding order.

Surely we have now proved that the majority of us are not militant and only wish to restore our previous enviable reputation as one

of the finest yards in the world. The gamble could be well worth the risk in achieving the retention of a skilled workforce and at the same time creating some confidence that determined endeavour to retain one's job can be done without

Yours faithfully, H. THELWELL 86 Manor Drive, Upton, Birkenhead Merseyside. November 6.

If the lights go out

From Mr Alex Henney

Sir. Three pages after your feature article, "Why the lights could still go out" (October 29), you carried a full-page Government advertisement (paid for by taxpayers) showing that over a decade our energy efficiency had not improved by as much as by our major competitors. Elsewhere in the media,

support of the chairman of the Electricity Council's facile claim "that it is in the interests of the nation that electricity sales should increase", the electricity industry is spending millions of pounds on advertising (paid for by consumers. many of whom are taxpayers) mainly to persuade us to use more electricity.

In the US, electricity and gas companies' promotional advertising at the consumers' expense is forbidden by law and utilities are required by law and by regulation to mers conserve dower. I he Energy Committee has recommended that our power utilities have a statutory duty imposed on them to promote conservation.

Government has done nothing. If the lights go out sooner than need be, it will bear a significant share of the responsibility, as it already does for our poor record in improving energy efficiency.

Yours sincerely. ALEX HENNEY, 138 Swains Lane, Highgate, No.

Sauce of learning

From Mr Adrian Room

Sir, I was very interested to read the letter from Mr E. H. Moore (November 2) regarding the origin of the name of HP Sauce, since, when I was researching this name for my book, Dictionary of Trade Name Origins (Routledge, 1982), I was informed in a letter from the Group Product Manager (Sauces) of Staedlev-HP Foods Ltd that, alas, there was no firm evidence that the initials did actually stand originally for "Houses of Parliament"

Company records show that a Mr Sampson and a Mr Moore (no doubt Mr E. H. Moore's grandfather, whom he mentions) first started to make HP Sauce in Birmingham in the 1870s, having purchased the name from a Mr Garton in Nottingham. The latter was marketing the product then as "Garton's "HP" Sauce", although there is nothing to indicate why he chose

this particular name.

The name itself was first regis tered in the *Trade Marks Journal* of May 22, 1912, by "Edwin Samson Moore, trading as The Midland Vinegar Company, The Trade Malt Vinegar Company, and as F. G. Garton & Co. The company was then based at Aston Cross, near Tewkesbury, where it traded as vinegar brewer and sauce and pickle manufacturer". Yours faithfully, ADRIAN ROOM,

173 The Causeway. Hampshire November 2.

In the name of charity

the National Council for Voluntary Organizations (November 1), was right to draw your attention to the need for a review of the administration of charity law, and particularly by the Charity Commissioners in the exercise of their quasi-judicial functions. In the light of the Brightman committee report, published last month (your leading article, October 19), he suggests that a suitors' fund be established to finance key test cases, an idea that will find much support from national charitable organizations.

found and operate such a scheme

than his own? It would have the

reason to expect more of yet another Committee of 1974, the Goodman benefit of independence from the state sector, could be implemented

to give the prize to Dr Yevgeniy Chazov. Soviet Deputy Minister of

Public Health, despite his nation's

makes two assertions which could equally well support continued armed intervention in Afghanistan. membership and a renewed commit-True, they demonstrated their balance and fairness by bestowing If what is required is a period of similar honours upon an American reflection on Unesco's essential purposes, it is implausible to suggest physician, Dr Bernard Lown, with whom Dr Chazov founded the that this will be better achieved from International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War. Howoutside than by staying in. As a ever, it should be pointed out that result of timely interventions earlier this year and a lengthy period of debate, the British Government is this organization, in which there is overt Soviet involvement, favours well placed to follow up its unilateral Western gestures and criticisms and proposals by a strong treats the superpowers as if they declaration of support for changes were morally equivalent.

In short, it serves the strategic and political interests of the Soviet Union and indeed, if it did not, Dr. outside the organization will be Your second point, that reform is Chazov would not have founded it or have remained in it.

not possible, repeats the manifestly There are, of course, those who Americans a year ago. Apart from the very real achievements of believe that, despite its politicisation and other shortcomines. Britain Unesco, which you chose to ignore, should remain within Unesco. They you might have mentioned the substantial reform programme now in progress, in which Britain has are apt to respond to its excesses in tones of weary resignation, implying that behaviour of that kind must be expected and tolerated as in the case of a naughty child which, despite its failings, may be safely ignored. Vague references to Western norms and liberal values are no

No, the appropriate response to the spectacle of Unesco continuing to draw upon Western official aid and backing while denigrating have Western values and institutions should not be stoic acceptance, which will only serve to perpetuate this situation.

The appropriate reaction, as your. The real reason for Britain's difficulties with Unesco lies less in robust leader (November 5) makes clear, is withdrawal followed by a period of reflection about the best than in the neglect by successive governments of opportunities to participate and collaborate and the means of promoting Unesco's original aims of promoting literacy and encouraging the free flow of information. Yours faithfully,

GERALD FROST, Executive Director, Institute for European Defence and Strategic Studies, 13-14 Golden Square, W1. November 6.

Unity or union

From Mr Hugh Dykes, MP for Harrow East (Conservative) Sir. An excellent letter from Sir Henry Plumb (November 2) reinforces the previous call to European institutional progress in your from Signor Spinelli columns. (October 31).

How sad and pathetic it is that the United Kingdom has repeatedly failed to live up to the challenges posed by the moves to European union aiready put forward on numerous occasions by authoritative voices in other member states of the EEC. It has also as a nation always rejected virtually every invitation to join in greater cooperative efforts by the other main countries, notably France and Germany in their latest initiatives.

How refreshing it would be, in the European Parliament itself, if our colleagues in the Conservative group were to symboliso a new determination (along the lines of Sir Henry's sagacious references to new efforts towards integration) by making the approaches, vaguely mooted since 1974, to join up with their Christian Democratic confrères.

l remain, etc. HUGH DYKES. House of Commons. November 2.

unwilling to invest on a sufficient scale in prevention rather than cure. From Mr Peter Cutler and Dr Perhaps the spreading famine in sub-Saharan Africa will encourage Sir, We were very interested to read political decision-makers to think Lord Cameron and Mr Hanning's further ahead.

> Yours faithfully PETER CUTLER. FRANCES d'SOUZA, Food Emergencies Research Unit. London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, WC1.

From Dr Richard Pankhurst

Sir. Several of your correspondents (October 30) blame the current Ethiopian famine on the Ethiopian Government's performance in relation to human rights, etc. Such arguments would seem in the best Ethiopian tradition, for in the Ethiopic synaxarium (E. A. W. Budge, The Book of the Saints of the Ethiopian Church, 1928, III, 801) we read that because a twelfth-century ruler of Ethiopia had sinned, God became so angry that "the rain would not fall on the fields, and great tribulation came on the

people".

The basic fact is that the rains in Ethiopia have failed for several years running. Flying over the north of the country in August and September, at what should have been the height of the rainy season, I saw even substantial river beds entirely dry.

I would beg to differ from both the synaxarium and your correspondents by arguing that without substantial foreign aid tragedy would have befallen the country whatever the moral character of its Government. Yours etc.

RICHARD PANKHURST. 22 Lawn Road, NW3.

committee of 1978, the Charles Handy committee of 1981 and the

What is needed is a concerted effort by the voluntary sector to ensure that more money is made available not from the Government but from industry and private donations, and that in particular industry accepts the social responsi-

As Dr Owen said on October 31. the voluntary sector is our index of liberty. It seems reasonable to look to the National Council for Voluntary Organizations to sustain it

Holding down cost which evidently enabled the judges of our men abroad

From Mr D. Mellor

Sir, Like many editorial bright ideas the notion of shared European representation in third countries is not new. I looked at the same idea myself some years ago when I was Ambassador in Asuncion, but until there is a much wider acceptance of supranationalism by Community countries, not all of whom are so obsessed with presenting a threadbare appearance to the world, EEC embassics will have to stay on the back burner,

When these problems are resolved there is no shortage of Third World countries where Community countries maintain independent missions pursuing almost identical policies in the political, economic, human rights, aid and consular fields and where, on the face of it, substantial financial savings ought to be available.

in the commercial field, however, which is of particular importance to British embassies, competition between Community countries is at least as fierce as that with the rest of the world.

One possibility might be for each country to maintain its own commercial man in a European embassy whose ambassador would be appointed under a system of rotation. That solution, however, immediately raises questions of security – separate filing systems and confidential secretaries and perhaps loss of confidence by national exporters. Not only do the savings begin to look illusory, but there could be a substantial loss of effectiveness.

It has to be remembered that these days, and particularly for public-sector projects, the ambassador is frequently an important intelligence gatherer and protagonist on behalf of his country's exporters. Can one envisage the French Ambassador of a European embassy going in to bat wholeheartedly on behalf of his British commercial

Yours truly, D. MELLOR. 91 Frant Road, Tunbridge Wells, November 5.

Constable country

From Mr Tony Berry Sir, I refer to John Parslow's letter (November 1) on behalf of the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds. in which he accuses water authorities of abusing their exemption

from planning controls.

Having spent the last ten years building bridges between river engineers and conservationists, I take exception to this sweeping statement. In Anglian not only do we consult local and national conservation groups and their representatives (including RSPB) on capital schemes, but we also consult on maintenance works.

All five operating divisions within Anglian have appointed a conservation officer and the authority has accepted comprehensive conservation guidelines. Lectures and seminars are regularly held to educate our employees and help them recognise the importance of the countryside. One of Mr Parslow's colleagues from the RSPB will be visiting Essex in a few weeks' time to give further help and advice

to our supervisors. We do not need the spur of planning control to do our job properly. The Essex Local Land Drainage Committee did not oppose the article 4 direction for the Stour Valley and will almost certainly seek planning permission for future river improvement schemes as a matter of

course.
I know that colleagues in other water authorities are working just as hard to produce sensitive schemes which protect people and property from flooding, whilst at the same time avoiding damage to the environment

Yours faithfully. A. J. BERRY, General Manager. Anglian Water, Colchester Division, The Cowdray Centre, Cowdray Avenue,

November 2.

Religious instruction

From Mr Leslie Pringle Sir, I found your leader on RE (October 31) some 15 years out of date. In my experience few subjects have been more thoroughly and

critically examined. Religious education now explores the phenomenon of religion openly and sensitively and when it does touch on Christianity it does so without any attempt to proselytise or convert. In my view the recent fuss is over a "ghost" which does not exist,

Yours faithfully, LESLIE PRINGLE Bishop Stopford's School. Brick Lane. Enfield. Middlesex October 31.

Chinese sailaway

Canterbury.

November 5.

Kent.

From Mr John Williamson Sir, Mr Egon Ronay may be already out of date in his commendation of the Forces caterers' expertise (report, November 5). Recently one of her Majesty's ships passed through the Straits of Dover and on the side was painted in Cantonese: "We are the best Chinese restaurant in the British Navy. Yours faithfully. JOHN WILLIAMSON, Beechmount, Bridge,

Made in Japan

From Mr Russell A.Leather Sir, Professor Burbidge (October 16) argues that if we copy successful Japanese products in much the same way as they have copied ours, we shall experience a major transformation in our industrial performance. He assumes that we have the resources to do so, but he is quite Wrong.

The Japanese, not noted for creativity, have exploited to the full their ability to develop products originating elsewhere, using known technology. These "copies" eventually bear little resemblance to the

and protracted engineering development.

force. The plain fact is that we simply do not posses sufficient trained manpower to compete with the Japanese on these terms. The Japanese turn out about five times as many engineers at graduate level per head Original models, due to intensive of population as we do, while the October 23.

great majority of their school children recieve secondary edu-cation up to the age of 18. In short they have, arguably, the best

failed conspicuously to benefit from many of our ideas. While we manufacturing industry as seconddeserve - second-class results. Yours faithfully, RUSSELLA LEATHER,

Isla Road,

Perth.

From Mr Colin Hughes Davies Sir. Mr Nicholas Hinton, Director of

What better organization exists to

immediately and funded initially by a suitable foundation grant perhaps the Charities Aid Foundation could In his speech at their annual

conference on October 31 Dr David Owen emphasized that this country was once regarded as the cradle of philanthropy, yet charitable giving is no less than 10 times greater in the United States than in Britain, where donations from the top 200 companies are only just approaching 0.2 per cent of pretax profits. Dr Owen called for the establish-

ment of a royal commission (report, November 1) to examine the future of the welfare state and its links with the charitable sector, but is there any committee on charity than came from the Parliamentary Expenditure committee of 1975, the Wolfenden

Brightman committee that has just reported?

bilities so readily embraced by our American cousins.

whenever necessary. Yours sincerely. COLIN HUGHES DAVIES. Magdalen College,

November 1.

COURT AND SOCIAL

COURT CIRCULAR

BUCKINGHAM PALACE November 7: The Queen this morning attended a Service of Thanksgiving at St Paul's Cathedral to mark the Centenary of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, of which Her Maiesty is Patron.

The Queen was received on arrival by the Right Hon the Lord Mayor (Dame Mary Donaldson), the Dean of St Paul's (the Very Reverend Alan Webster) and the Chairman, Central Executive Committee, NSPCC (Lady Holland-Martin) and the Director, NSPCC (Dr Alan Gilmour).

The Hon Mary Morrison, the Right Hon Sir Philip Moore and Licutenant-Colonel Blair Stewart-Wilson were in attendance.

The Queen, accompanied by The Duke of Edinburgh, this evening inaugurated the ANZCAN Transpacific Submarine Telecommuni-cations System at a Reception at the Berkeley Hotel, London. SW1.

Her Majesty and His Royal Highness were received by the Vice-Chairman of British Telecom (Mr J. Hodgson) and the Managing Director, British Telecom International (Mr Anthont Booth),

The Countess of Airlie, Mr Robert Fellowes, Mr John Haslam and Lieutenant-Colonel Blair tewart-Wilson were in extendance. The Duke of Edinburgh, President of World Wildlife Fund International and a Vice-President of the International Union for

Latest appointments

Birthdays today The Marquess of Abergavenny, 70; Professor Christiaan Barnard, 62; Mr Jimmy Batten, 29; Air Marshal Sir Norman Coslett, 75; Mr Alain Delon, 49; Mr Frederick Gore, 71; Mr D A Head, 59; Sir William Kininmonth, 80; Mr Justice Leggatt. 54; Sir Richard Luyt. 69; Professor Robert McWhirter, 80; Mr R B Marriott, 73; Str James Redmond, 66; Mr Tamas Vasary, 51; Sir Alexander Waddell, 71; Mr Fulke

Pusey House appeal fund

The former Archbishop of Canter-bury, Lord Ramsey, and the present archbishop. Dr Robert Runcie, are heading an appeal for funds for Pusey House, the Anglo-Catholic academic foundation in Oxford, which is celebrating its centenary this year. A scheme of visiting fellowships is planned and money is needed for repairs to the building. Winchester Cathedral has also

announced an appeal for funds after a survey which disclosed that maintenance work likely to cost more than £330,000 a year for five years is necessary to preserve the medieval structure. The appeal is headed by the Dean, the Very Rev Michael Stanciffe, and a charitable trust has been founded with Lord Aldington as chairman.

Mass for priest

community.

relatively small area.

A requiem Mass organized by Polish groups in Britain will be held on Saturday at Westminster Cathedral for Father Jerzy Popieluszko, who was killed by security forces in Poland.

Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources, attended by the Viscount Hambleden, arrived at Heathrow Airport, London this afternoon in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight

from Spain.
His Royal Highness, Colonel-in-Chief of The Duke Of Edinburgh's Royal Regiment (Berkshire and Wiltshire) this afternoon at Buckingham Palace received Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. Mackereth on relinquishing command of the 1st Battalion and Lieutenant-Colonel A. Kenway on assuming

The Duke of Edinburgh, Honorary Brother, this evening gave a Reception at Buckingham Palace for Brethren of the Art Workers' Guild. CLARENCE HOUSE

November 7: Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother this afternoon visited Queen Mary's London Needlework Guild at St James's Ruth, Lady Fermoy was in

attendance.

Her Majesty was present this evening at a Reception at the Stafford Hotel given on behalf of the Council of the Association of Commonwealth Universities to mark the retirement of Sir Douglas

Logan.
Ruth, Lady Fermoy and Sir
Martin Gilliat were in attendance.

KENSINGTON PALACE November 7: The Prince of Wales, Duke of Cornwall, today visited Duchy property in the Western District and afterwards attended a joint meeting of the Duchy Advisory Groups on Archaeology and Wildlife and the Landscape. His Royal Highness, attended by Mr John Higgs, travelled in the Royal Train.

Royal Train.

November 7: The Duke of Gloucester, President, British Consultants' Bureau, visited the offices of Kennedy & Donkin, Godalming, Surrey, today.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Simon Bland was in attendance.

YORK HOUSE. November 7: The Duke of Kent, as President, today visited the Royal Masonic Institution for Girls, Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire.

Captain Charles Blount was in

THATCHED HOUSE LODGE
November 7: Princess Alexandra
and the Hon Angus Ogilvy were
present this evening at a Reception
held at Armoury House, London
EC1 to mark the 700th Anniversary
of the Worshipful Company of

Her Royal Highness and Mr Ogilvy later attended a Gala Concert, in aid of the Royal College of Music Centenary Appeal Fund, at the Royal Festival Hall. Lady Mary Fitzalan-Howard was in attendance.

A memorial service for Mr Keith Knowles will be held at St Michael's Church, Cornhill, on Wednesday, November 21, at noon,

A service of thanksgiving for the life of Leonard Rossiter will be held at the Actors' Church, St Paul's, Covent Garden, on November 15 at

A memorial service for Admiral Sir Richard Clayton will be held at At Martin-in-the-Fields today at noon,

Marriages Major T. B. J. Coombe and Miss P. M. W. Ingledow The marriage took place on Saturday, November 3, in the Chapel of the Order of the British Empire, St Paul's Cathedral, of

Empire, St Paul's Cathedral, of Major Timothy Coombe, Royal Tank Regiment, son of Colonel and Mrs B. J. Coombe. of Limpley Stoke, Bath, and Miss Patricia Ingledow, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. B. Ingledow, of Camberley, Surrey. The Right Rev George Reindorp officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Lucy and Tania Powell, Emily and William Coombe, and Natasha

and William Coombe, and Natasha Sandilands, Mr Simon Coombe was best man.

A reception was held at the Royal

Commonwealth Society. Colonel H. B. de Ponblanque and Mrs J. E. Myatt and Mrs J. E. Myatt
The marriage took place on
Saturday, November 3, 1984, at the
Church of St Mary Magdalene,
Ditcheat, between Colonel Hugh de
Fonblanque and Mrs Flona Myatt,
widow of Lieutenant-Colonel James
Myatt. The Rev George Farran
officiated, assisted by Dom Philip
Jebb, OSB.
The bride was given in marriage

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Mr Michael Keene. A reception, with a bonfire and firework party, was held at The Manor, Compton Pauncefoot.

Sporting Heritage Ball
Prince and Princess Michael of Kent
will be present at the Sporting
Heritage Ball and Exhibition to be
held at Sotheby's, London, on
Thursday, December 20. Tickets at
£45 include dinner, breakfast and
wine. After dinner tickets £27
include breakfast and wine. Tickets
are available from the Secretary. Mr T. W. Rossiter and Dr K. A. H. Wheeler and Dr K. A. H. Wheeler
The marriage took place on
November 3. in Tonbridge School
Chapel between Mr Thomas
Rossiter son of Mr and Mrs Hugh
Rossiter, of Ringwood, and Dr Kate
Wheeler, daughter of Mr and Mrs
Bernard Wheeler, of Tonbridge. The
Rey Martin Francis officiated.

Science report

are available from the Secretary, BHSE Committee, 59 Kennington

Road, London, SEI 7PZ.

Brigadier Anne Field, a former Director of the Women's Royal

Army Corps, who has been appointed Deputy Controller Commandant of the WRAC on the

retirement of Brigadier Elices

Mr John Derrington to be president of the institution of Civil Engineers.

Other appointments include:

Norway launches wave-power station

reshaped to form a tapered channel that will act as a

Norway is building what may be the world's first commercial wave-power station in a group of tiny islands on its west Waves entering from the sea coast. The pilot wave-power at the wide end of the channel plant at Toftestallen, about 50 will maintain their momentum miles west of Bergen is as they approach the narrow end, ultimately spilling over the top and into the lake expected to be operational next year, supplying light and heat for the local coastal reservoir. Such wave activity would raise the level of the reservoir by about three metres providing a fall for the Norwave, a company formed a year ago by scientists at the Central Institute for Industrial stored water as it passes through a turbine generator Research in Oslo, has concen-

trated on developing methods It is hoped that the £1m of focusing ocean waves into a project will inspire a wavepower technology that would At Toftesallen, an artificial be ideal for export to Third lake is being formed by building dams between two World countries and island munities in particular.

islands, while a small fjord-Coincidentally, Norwegian like opening on one of the scientists have calculated that islands is widened slightly and as much as 4 per cent of the potential energy in a reservoir is lost before water can pass through the turbines of a hydroelectire power station. In a country such as Norway, which is highly dependent on hydroelectric power, that can represent a big loss. Relatively simple and cheap

cleaning or monitoring pro-cedures could reduce losses by about 10 per cent and most could be carried out without stopping the generation of power. More drastic measures, such as streamlining and increasing the diameter of waterways, would probably prove cost-effective in the long

Source: Norwegian R and D Notes (Royal Norwegian Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (NTNF). PO Box 70 Tasen. Oslo



The Queen and the Lord Mayor of London, Dame Mary Donaldson, arriving for the thanksgiving service at St Paul's Cathedral yesterday to mark the centenary of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, of which the Queen is patron (Photograph: Dod Miller).

Forthcoming marriages

Mr R. P. Bacon and Miss H. C. Robinson The engagement is announced between Richard, only son of Mr and Mrs Edward Bacon, of Moseley, Birmingham, and Harriet, daughter of the late Mr James Robinson and Mrs James Robinson, of Great Barford, Bedfordshire.

R. K. Bevan, of Sideup, Kem, and Nottinghamshire. Claire, daughter of Dr and Mrs G. Mr.T. D. Mullins D. Rees, of Swanses. Mr R. A. Darnley and Miss S. R. L. Clarke

and Miss S. R. L. Clarke
The engagement is announced
between Robert Arthur, elder son of
Dr and Mrs A. G. Darnley, of
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, and
Shayne Rhona Leonora, only
daughter of Mr and Mrs N. C. W.
Clarke, of Gleneden, Knocknadona,
Anterna

Mr. A. J. Dhon and Miss J. C. Wall

Antrim.

The engagement is announced between Anthony, eldest son of Mr and Mrs C. J. A. Dixon, of Oxted, Surrey, and Joanne, elder daughter of Professor and Mrs C. G. Wall, of Shortlands, Kent.

Mr N. M. Evan and Miss K. J. C. Hood

The engagement is announced between Nicholas, son of Mr and Mrs W. M. Evans, of Cambridge. and Kerala, daughter of Mrs P. Hood, of Fordingbridge, Hamp-

and Miss C.J. Fletcher

The engagement is announced between Paul, second son of Mr and Mrs P. J. Habershon, of St Albans, and Catherine, only daughter of Mr and Mrs A. J. Fletcher, of Welwyn

Dr C. J. H. Jones and Miss J. M. A. Banfield

Latest wills

ralued at £314,484 net.

The engagement is announced between Christopher John Hugh, elder son of Dr and Mrs H. E. H. The engagement is announced and Miss E. A. Blackledge between Christopher John Hugh. The engagement is announced elder son of Dr and Mrs H. E. H. between George Stewart, son of Dr Jones, of Pinner. Middlesex, and Jacqueline Mary Ann, elder daughter of Brighouse, West Yorkshire, and ter of Surgeon Commander and Mrs Elizabeth Anne, elder daughter of P. J. Banfield, of Fareham, Mr and Mrs J. D. Blackledge, of

Admiral Sir Richard Pulkington Clayton, of Kingston-upon-Thames, Commander-in-Chief, Naval Home Command, 1979 to 1981, who died when his motor cycle was in collision with 2 car, left estate Mrs Phyllis Brewerton, of Addington Park, Surrey, left £1,320,450 net. Other existes include fuel, before tex paid: Harris, Mr Lionel David, of Hammetend London£455,949

Society, as a part of the Elgar, Holst, Delius commemmoration, at the

Mr R. G. Huster and Miss C. A. Harris The engagement is announced between Robin, youngest son of Mr and Mrs G. C. Hunter, of Sandlands, Dorking, Surrey, and Catherine Ann, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs Brian Harris, of Epsom, Mr S. H. Lanyou and Miss C. J. Evans

Mrs James Robinson, of Great Barford, Bedfordshire.

Dr C. D. Bevan Bard Milss C. C. Rees
The engagement is announced between Colin, son of Mr and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, National Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, Part of Wing Commander and Mrs J. D. Evans, of Bingham, P

and Miss L. E. Saxton

The engagement is announced between Tim, son of Dr and Mrs David Mullins, of Lymington, Hampshire, and Lucy, daughter of Dr Hugh Santon, of Chislehurst, Santon, of Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucester-

Mr D. A. Piggins and Mins J. Letty The engagement is announced between David Andrew, elder son of Colonel and Mrs Christopher Piggins, of Landford Wood, Wiltshire, and Joanna, second daughter of Mr and Mrs Howard Letty, of Lymington, Hampshire.

Captain J. B. Seimon ... and Miss A. J. Lewis

The engagement is announced between Jonathan, only son of the Rev B. B. and Mrs Salmon, of The Vicarage, Winscombe, Avon, and Angela, younger daughter of the Rev E. Lewis, of Mole End, Dockenfield, Hampshire, and Mrs E. Lewis, of Windsor, Berkshire,

Mr W. S. Swann and Miss S. Jones

The engagement is announced between Wayne Steven, elder son of Mr and Mrs D. A. Swann o Carshalton Beeches, Surrey, and Sara. only daughter of Mr and Mrs T. W. Jones, of Ashtead, Surrey. Dr G. S. Turner and Miss E. A. Blackledge

Climbers' award

The literary award in the memory of the British mountaineers Peter Boardman and Joe Tasker, who died climbing Everest, was won yesterday by Doug Scott, the British climber, for the Shisha Pangma Expedition (Granada), and by Linda Gill, of New Zealand, for Living High (Hodder and Stoughton). The prizes were worth £1,800 each.

Harris, Mr Liones £455,949
Hampstead, London £455,949
Mitchell, Mrs Margery Kate
Pearson, of Stratford-upon-Avon
£234,244

Festival Hall on November 14. Princess Alexandra will attend a concert by the Royal Philharmonic

gallery draws the crowds By Charles Knevitt

The new Staatsgalerie in Stuttgart, designed by Mr James Stirling, the British architect, has had more than a million visitors since it opened

a million visitors since it opened less than eight months ago. The gallery has jumped from fifty-sixth to third place in the West German museum visitor rating, and is guaranteed first place in the spring.

The building is in the heroic scale, with monumental, formal and with monumental formal and rectilinear galleries, while ancilliary rectifinear galleries, while ancilliary spaces such as the library and entrance half are curving and snuous. Brightly coloured painted metal work contrasts sharply with alternating bands of sandstone and marble in the Renaissance tradition.

The architect describes his design a "monumental formalism" and

as "monumental formalism", and museum's popularity owes as much, if not more, to its architecture as to its collection.

is collection.

Mr Stirling, aged 58, who received the Royal Gold Medal for Architecture in 1980, and is considered by many to be Britain's best architect, is now working on the Tate Gallery extension in London, but with less than a quarter of the German museum's budget German museum's budget.
He was on the short list of three for the \$100m J. Paul Getty Fine

Arts Centre in Los Angeles, but it was announced last week that Richard Meier, the American architect, had received the com-

Luncheons

Men of the Year The 1984 Access Men of the Year The 1984 Access Men of the Year luncheon, in aid of the Royal Association for Disability and Rehabilitation (RADAR), took place at the Savoy Hotel yesterday. The Duke of Buccleuch was in the chair, and the other speakers were Viscount Whitelaw, CH, and Mr Ned Sherrin. The guests included: Mr George Wilson, director of RADAR, Dr J. G. Somerville, chairman of the executive committee, Mr Rob Parley, acting chairman of Access, Mr Michael Blackburg, chief executive, Access Joint Credit Card Company, and the 1984 Men of the Year who were terd Shinous, CH. Sir Cornint Duans. Mr Keth Firesher. Polics Countain Duans. Mr Rob Matthews. Mr Genfley Vales. Professor Rev Calm. Mr Richard Foster. Mr Arthur Hos and Mr Alack Creditor.

Durham University
Professor F. G. T. Holliday, ViceChancellor and Warden of Durham
University, and Mrs Holliday gave a function in Durham yesterday to mark the annual service of commemoration of founders and benefactors of the Cathedral Church benefactors of the Cathedral Church of Durham. Those present included: The Bustop of Durham and Mrs Jeakha, the Mayor and Mayorean of Durham. The High Sheriff of Durham and Mrs Boowdon, the High Sheriff of Cleveland and Mrs Boowdon. The High Sheriff of Cleveland and Mrs Boowdon. The Book of Durham, and Mrs Boorfa. The Dean of Durham, and Mrs Boorfa. The Dean of Durham, and Mrs Boorfa. The Chief Essective of Durham and Mrs Boorfa. Professor and Mrs Lichardon, Wiles I Hindragen, the President of University College, the Massler of University College and Mrs Edward Mrs Echael and Mrs Lang, Mrs and Mrs E Claetver. Mrs P Richardson, and Mrss C 19stor.

Angle-Spanish Society

Angio-Spanish Society
The Angio-Spanish Society held its
annual luncheon yesterday at the
Martinez Spanish Restaurant. Mr
Andrew Mango was the guest
speaker and the Spanish Ambassador, president of the society, and
Dona de Puig de la Bellacasa were among those present.

Reception

Horners' Company Princess Alexandra was present at a reception given by the Horners' Company at Armoury vesterday evening to mark the 700th anniversary of its first recorded mention. The Master Mr E. Rupert Nicholson, presided, assisted by the Mayor of Islington, the Colonel Commandant of HAC. General Sir Richard Trant, and Councillor Donald du Parc Braham.

Dinner

General Council of British Shipping The President of the General Council of British Shipping, Mi W. N. Menzies-Wilson, presided a the annual dinner held at Grosveno House last night. The other specifiers were Mr David Mitchell, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Transport, and Judge Tudor Price. Common Sergeant.

Soundaround

Soundaround, the National Sound Magazine for the Blind, is holding its Christmas ball at the Park Lane Hotel on Thursday, December 13 The guest speaker is Mr John Mortimer. QC, and dancing will be to Chance and Mike Allen's Discotheque. Tickets at £25 and details are available from Miss Sally

Stuttgart | OBITUARY

THE REV ALAN MacLEOD Missionary and ecumenist

The Rev Alan Gordon MacLeod who died on November 2 in Cambridge.

aged 73. had the unusual distinction of having twice served the Presbyterian Church of England as Moderator of the General Assembly. in 1967 and again in 1972. He was Principal Emeritus of Westminster College Cambridge.

MacLeod received the Kaisar-ii-lind Medal from the Government of India in 1946.

He was well known as a linguist, adding Bengali and Asabic to his Hebrew. He was adopt in the practical missionary skills of carpentry and plubbing and found them not without use for a Cambridge College Principal when major without use for a Cambridge College Principal when major re-rooing was the task in 1972.

He lad returned to Westminster College in 1955 as Professor oldold Testament studies

lege. Cambridge. He had been active in all the ecumenical work that led up to Presbyterian-Congregational union and it was appropriate that he shared in presiding over the opening minutes of the University He chaled the University Faculty Bard of Divinity for some years He was a leader in bringing together Westminster

The son of a Liverpool manse he was at school and University there and entered Westminster bridge Federation of Theo-College, Cambridge, in 1932, As a member of Fitzwilliam House he obtained first class honours in theology.

He was ordained in 1936 and served as a missionary in East Bengal, now Bangladesh, for nineteen years, ably partnered in his work there by his wife, Margaret.

designation a Moderator for 1967, as "scholaged preacher, skilful craftsman hith tools and cameras, fisherma and sportsman, minister and riend".

these ways and sore, missed by many in the last two

died on November 6 in hospital

in Oxford. He was 60. Though he had been in poor health for some time he had carried on working and was on his way to the BBC's recording studios in Birmingham when he

was taken ill. Jones had spent a good many years in repertory theatre before pecoming a radio actor and in a 30-year career in radio he had played many leading parts. He was also known through

his extensive television appearances and had parts in such staple series as Softly Softly, Dr Who and Bergerac. But to afficionados of that hardy perennial of radio serials, The Archers, his name will always be linked with that of Joe Grundy. a farmer of gruff parts and few graces, for whom for long periods life seldom seemed to go right.

Jones joined The Archers in 1976 and from that moment the small part of Joe Grundy grew

MR HAYDN JONES Mr Haydn Jones, the actor in his case represented by who played the part of Joe Grundy, the curmudgeonly and disenchanted small farmer in BBC Radio 4's The Archers, say somewhat smug a vales.

logical College He was well escribed, on his

He will be remeloered in all

And that perhaps wis the And that perhaps we the secret of his immense apeal. When his management is his dairy herd was slipshod and likely not to bear mintry scrutiny, or when grandle plans for produced to excite the second secret of the second secret of the second secret of the second secret of the second secon scale calculated to excite the wonder of mankind, went totally awry, listeners yet hoped that something would happen to save him, to wipe the knowing smiles off the faces of the prosperous gentleman farmers who surrounded him.

It seldom did, but he soldiered on, rough of tongue and defiant. Even Ambridge's mild vicar could not count on the protection of his cloth, if pastoral business took him across Grundy's path.

Ye., latterly, Joe Grundy had shown signs of mellowing towards his fellow human beings. Perhaps it was something to do with the marriage of the exasperating Eddie with Carrie, the barmaid of the Bull, until it became one of the main to give Joe grandchildren and a foci of interest in the daily sense of dynasty. At any rate serial. Perpetual grumbler, and relentless castigator of his feckless son Eddie, Joe Grundy character who, given the chanalways seemed to be bearing ce, might, at moments, almost arms against a sea of troubles, have liked to be loved.

CONSTANTINE STAVROUPOULOS

los, who died in Athens on November 5 at the age of 79, served as Under-Secretary-General with responsibility for General Assembly affairs from 1969 to 1971, and as special representative of the Secretary-General to the Conference on the Law of the Sca from 1973 to

Educated at Athens Univerity and the London School of Economics, he became legal adviser to the Greek Embassy in London during the Second World War, and served as president of the Greek Maritime Court in the UK from 1942 to 1946. He joined the UN War Crimes Commission in 1943.

In 1946 he joined the legal

Captain Douglas Howard Pinhas Ben-Mazliah, high Doig, CBE, RN, retired, who died October 15, served in the mumty, has died at the age of Royal Navy in both world wars 87 at Nablus, in the Israel-occuand was secretary to the C-in-C pied West Bank.
Portsmouth from 1945 to 1947. Community He was closely involved in the that the Samaritans who once affairs of the Church of England numbered a million residing both in Portmouth and natio- between Tyre and Alexandria, nally He had been chairman of dwindled to about 130 souls at the Portsmouth Diocesan Board the outbreak of the First World of Finance and secretary and later vice-chairman of the

was made CBE in 1947

sought to be made by journalists or any other lay persons.

The proper procedure for laying before the court any matter going to

such a question as the publication of

the name of a witness or any other

behalf of the person who wished the

Generally speaking, save where the matter of concern affected the defence, counsel for the prosecution should give to the court his best and

disinterested assistance when a

matter of that kind had to be resolved. In so doing he would doubless have uppermost in his mind the deep public concern which was undoubtedly felt for the freedom of the press which should

not, save where it was imperative, be interfered with.

court to hear them

Mr Constantine Stavropou- department of the United Nations, and he remained there until 1974. From 1966 to 1969 was a former senior official of he was acting Commissioner for the United Nations who had South-west Africa.

After the collapse of the military dictatorship in Greece in 1974 Stavropoulos was invited by Mr Constantine Karamanlis, then Prime Minister, to join his government. He was elected to Parliament in 1974 and appointed Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

In 1978 he became Ambassador at Large, and at the time of his death represented Greece at the Conference on the Law of the Sea.

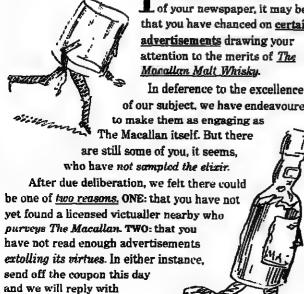
He is survived by his wife. the former Giannina Colquhoun, whom he married in

Community records show

The community revived after Central Board of Finance. He the British conquered Palestine during that war

Law Report November 8 1984 Divisional Court

Order not to name witness is deplored



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Regina v Central Criminal Court, Ex parte Crook and Ex parte Crook and her name or any matter in connexion with the proceedings ord Justice Watkins. Lord Another Before Lord Justice Watkins, Lord

The Queen's Bench Divisional Court had no jurisdiction under section 29 of the Supreme Court Act 1981 to review a decision of a crown court judge pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of the Contempt of Court Act 1981 which was intended to influence the conduct of a trial on indictment.

reserved judgment, dismissed an application by Timothy Simon John Crook and the National Union of Journalists for judicial review of an order made under section 11 of the Contempt of Court Act 1981 by
Judge Lymbery, QC, on January 27,
1984 at the Central Criminal Court
prohibiting the publication of any
material leading to the identification of a witness

In January 1984 a trial com-menced at the Central Criminal Court of several defendants charged with kidnapping and false imprisonment of a woman and with abducting the same woman in order that she should have unlawful sexual intercourse with another person. The woman named as the victim in the indictment was the principal witness for the Crown

submissions. Counsel appearing for two of the defendants objected to any order being made in relation to non-disclosure of the name of the

reconsider his decision. On the third day of the trial the judge indicated that he would hear oral representations from the media.

Those were heard after normal court hours on the following three days. Further argument was also heard from counsel for the winness.

At the conclusion of those representations the judge delivered a reasoned judgment in open court in which he confirmed his order.

The applicants applied for judicial The applicants applied for judicial

LORD JUSTICE STEPHEN BROWN said that the judge's order was made in relation to a trial on indictment. The judge made his order intending it to influence the conduct of the trial, that is to say that the witness in question who was

jurisdiction of the Divisional Court in matters relating to a trial on indictment. Accordingly, the court had no jurisdiction to entertain the application for judicial review. The applicants were not entitled

to the relief sought.

His Lordship commenting, oblier, that he disapproved of the procedure adopted and hoped that it would not be followed, expressed grave doubt as to whether the judge had power to make the order that he made. It was of viral constitutions! made. It was of vital constitutional importance that criminal trials were held in public and freely reported. There were cases covered by

had no idea of the family links of the witness when he made the order the impression might well have been given that it was a privilege being accorded to that partricular person because of her family connexions. There must be many occasions when witnesses in criminal cases

It was, however, part of the essential asture of British criminal justice that cases should be tried in public and that consideration must outweigh the individual interests of LORD JUSTICE WATKINS

scemed to be an increasing tendency nowadays to make such orders even though, as in the present case, the name of a witness which it was forbidden to publish outside court had been referred to in court during course of the proceedings.

It was arguable that m such a

circumstance the provisions of section I I of the Contempt of Court

Act 1981 had no application. His Lordship's view was that they did The procedure adopted was a novel one in almost every respect and it was undesirable that it should

In a criminal trial, save in some circumstances where restitution of goods was sought, no one had any standing before the court save counsel for the prosecution and counsel for a defendant. Any attempt by counsel acting on behalf of a witness to make representations to the court should be firmly resisted; likewise applications

Regina v Smalls and Others

Mr Justice Beldam agreed. Solicitors. Ms B. Cohen; Treasury

> give a full warning that it was dangerous to convict on the patients' evidence

Necessary ingredients of forgery

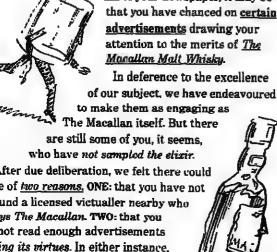
Horsey v Hutchings niatter relating to a trial was for counsel for the prosecution or, in appropriate circumstances, a de-fendant to make representations on

Where a defendant had been charged with offences contrary to sections I and 3 of the Forgery and Counterfeiting Act 1981, the two necessary ingredients for the offence were as stated by the Court of Appeal in R v Campbell (Mary) (The Times. July 31, 1984), namely the intention of the defendant that the false document should be accepted as genuine and the question whether another person was induced by reason of accepting the false document to do some act to his own or any other person's preju-dice. There was no indication that dishonesty was an ingredient of the

The Queen's Bench Divisional Court (Lord Justice Watkins and M Justice Nolan) so held on November 2, allowing the prosecutor's appeal against the decision of the Cardiff City supendiary of the Cardiff City supendiary magistrate on January 5, 1984, who dismissed informations against Ronald William Hutchings, and remitting the case to the magistrate with a direction to convict.

Correction

In Great Portland Estates plc v Westminster City Council (The Times November 1, 1984) the reference to the statute in the second paragraph of Lord Scarman's speech should have read "Part If of the Town and Country Planning Act



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of your newspaper, it may be that you have chanced on certain

of our subject, we have endeavoured

remedial despatch.

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N THE DAILY PERUSAL

Stephen Brown and Mr Justice Beldam [Judgment delivered November 7]

The Divisional Court, in a

Before the jury was empanelled, counsel instructed on behalf of that witness made an application to the judge that her name and identity should not be revealed and that an order should be made under section

il of the Contempt of Court Act

Counsel for the Crown made no

a neutral stand on the question of Subsequently, the applicant Mr.
Crook, made written represen-tations to the judge asking him to reconsider his decision. On the third

view of the order. Mr Geoffrey Robertson and Miss Heather Rogers for the applicants; Mr Simon D Brown as amicus

the principal witness for the Cruwn should be protected by an order designed to safeguard her anon-ymity outside the court. Section 29(3) of the Supreme Court Act 1981 excluded the

statute which provided for certain classes of witnesses to have anonymity. Witnesses might on occasions be permitted to write down their names and addresses.

Although in this case the judge had to iden of the first it links of the

were faced with embarrassuren as a result of facts which were elicited or of allegations made often without

agreed that there was no jurisdiction to review a decision made in relation to a trial on indictment and that the trial judge was in error in making the order complained of

Jury warning proper Regina v Spencer and Others caution and he was not required to

Where defendants were charged with offences of ill-treating a patient, contrary to section 126 of The Court of Appeal (Crimina) Division) (Lord Justice May, Mr the Mental Health Act 1959, and the Justice Drake and Mr Justice Anthony Lincoln) so held on November 2 after a full consideration of authorities, including R v Bagshaw ([1984] I WLR 477) and prosecution case depended wholly upon the evidence of patients at Rampton hospital, the judge properly directed the jury by warning them to approach the dismissed appeals against convicevidence of the patients with great

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FINANCE AND INDUSTRY

Executive Editor Kenneth Fleet

Bank lays down the law for new gilts market

The Bank of England's new system of selling Government debt was formally unveiled yesterday. It is not very different from a paper prepared by the Stock Exchange in the summer, and is still open to change.

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The Bank's stipulations on regulation and liquidity are tough. All the new players will have to be separately capitalized in terling, and all will need to be Stock Exchange members. The reward for tough regulation (daily stock positions will have to be disclosed to the Bank) is to be a facility to borrow at advantageous rates, plus tar and technical concessions similar to those enjoyed by the gilt

The price for Stock Exchange membership has yet to be revealed by the Stock Exchange itself. But the terms are widely expected to be unveiled within new membership rules to be published before Christmas,

The Bank has now outlined the way its new gilts department will work in place of the system whereby a Government broker liaises between the Bank and two big stockjobbers, the new department at the Bank of England will deal directly with a number of Market Makers (Primary Dealers) who will undertake to make continuous two way prices in appropriate size bargains, whatever the market weather. But the Bank has indicated that the market would find it understanding of climatic conditions.

Investors will buy gilt edged from these market makers either directly (more appropriate for major institutions wishing to deal in large numbers) or through broker-dealers, effectively agents who would charge a commission.

Technical operations to keep the gilts market liquid will be provided by Stock Exchange Morey Brokers, who will lend and borrow stock from the market makers, and by the Inter Broker Dealers whose job it will be to allow the market makers to unwind excessive stock pos-

The new structure will enable the Bank to sell government debt to an orderly market when it needs to, although it dmits that it is not possible to foresee w the present techniques for financing Government through these sales might be affected by the charge in market structure. It intends to examine whether all out least part of the finding might be put c a regular basis, rather like the Amerka auction system

The ank also intends to play a much more acye trading role in the market. The draftlocument is leavily sprinkled with work retain large mounts of discretion both in the way it hoposes to conduct itself in buying and sling gilts and in deciding what kinds of firms will be allowed to make markets, sets on example of the sorty of marginsit would happily accept from the market lakers alculated on the "risk position" f a market makers "book", the dif-rene between his

exposure and capitatian.

The Bank will req if daily reports of a stock-by-stock list of bss long and short positions, the extent the market-maker's credit risk and fails of individual transactions with refed companies. It will require weeklyrisk/capital ratios monthly reports of t capital base and quarterly reports of fi balance sheet and profit and loss accous. In addition, as members of the Stoc Exchange, the gilt players will be open o visits from its roving inspector. A pa of the attempt to retain the confidence of the investor in changing times.

There certainly will changes. Most of the American houses we indicated that

NEWS IN BRIEF

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Two of the country's leading

accountancy bodies are o merge. After six months of

80.000-member Institute

Chartered Accountants in El-land and Wales and e

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Finance and Accountany, which has 11,000 members, te

to talk about the details. If

approved by members, ic merger could take place by Jue

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sociation has begun a campain

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Government to tax pensions in

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informal discussions,

Stock Exchange money brokers

decisions from the discount houses are awaited. But there is still no word from the

Should the Bank be flooded with requests it reserves the right to choose an as yet unspecified number. Those who failed to become market makers first time round, would have to wait a year before applying again. The Bank will favour applicants from countries which allow British stockbrokers into their domestic market. That is no real barrier to American applicants; but for at least two years it might debar the Japanese.

Comments must be in by January 19, in order for the Bank to produce a final version to the rules a fortnight later, invite applications - and publish a list chosen by about next April.

There is bound to be plenty of comments; but after six monts of discussion pre-publication most of the heat has already been taken out of the

ECU groomed for stardom

Late this month or early next, if all goes well, the European Currency Unit will take a big step towards establishing itself as a leading international currency. After a year's gestation Credit Suisse - First Boston will lead manage the first ECU bond issue in the United States. While terms are not yet settled, the likely amount is around ECU200m (£330m), with a maturity of 10 years and a straight coupon of 10.5 or 10.6 per cent.

The issue will set the seal on four years of headlong growth in the ECU bond market. The size of the market has risen from five issues worth together just ECU 190m in 1981 to 39 issues with a total face value of ECU2,274m in the first nine months of this year. The ECU now accounts for almost 6 per cent of the \$46,000m Eurobond market and is the third or fourth most important currency in that market.

The ECU's proponents in Europe hope. it can eventually come to mount a challenge to the dollar.

Building societies back RPI change

The Building Societies Association has offered its own strong views on one of the most contentious elements in the Retail Price Index, whose components are currently under official review. The BSA's conclusions should please the Chancellor.

At present a complicated calculation involving house prices and a weighted average of mortgage rates is included in the RPI. But the BSA questions the inclusion of the mortgage rate alone. Mortgages interest payments, the societies argue, are merely a redistribution of the money from borrowers to investors

Using the mortgage rate alone, "produces a lop-sided effect." Any fall in investment rates is as much a cost to depositors as a rise in mortgage rates is to

Drop in US interest rates lifts Currys bid sterling close to \$1.28

Half JMB safety

net left with Bank

By Our Banking Correspondent

The Bank of England is 13 accepting houses 2 further reviding £75m towards a £10m and the remaining £50m 150m safety net of indemnities was to come from London and

Status quo at Lloyd's

By Alison Eadie

This year's elections for eight fourth, Mr Denis Fredjohn only

Only one of the ALM's four the agents' choice. The pro-

candidates was elected - incum- portion of external names

external names already on the bers, Mr Harry Dobinson came

council were reelected and the top of the poll

landslide victory was overshadowed by another drop in
the US interest rates which
it has already eased credit pointed to an expected move by the Federal Reserve Board to ease monetary controls further. In London, the dollar initially

droppd nearly five plennigs against the Deutsche mark at DM2.93. Sterling benefited from the dollar's fall, trading at \$1.2780 at one time, before closing at \$1.2725, up 1.1 cents on the day.
In New York after lunch,

sterling had risen to \$1.2795. Citibank announced early yesterday it had lowered its prime lending rate another notch to 11.75 per cent from 12 per cent, in a move which was expected to be followed widely.

W Germans

buy stake

in Morgan

Grenfell

By Peter Wilson-Smith,

Banking Correspondent

Morgan Grenfell Holdings is

aising £14m of fresh capital

and formalizing its already close working relationship with Deut-

sche Bank through an agree-

ment giving West Germany's biggest bank a 4.99 per cent stake in Morgan Grenfell.

Deutsche Bank is paying just under £5 a share for its stake

compared with the £4 a share 21 which shareholders in the

merchant banking group sub-

scribed to last May's £45m

Mr Christopher Recves, group chief executive of Morgan

Grenfell, said yesterday that there were no plans for Deut-

sche Bank to increase its stake,

nor was the move connected with Morgan Grenfell's aspir-

ations to become a primary

dealer in the gilts market, which

it was looking at seriously.

However, Morgan Grenfell
and Deutsche Bank have

identified securities markets,

corporate finance and financing

of exports and projects as areas

for closer cooperation. They plan to set up working parties to

examine the opportunities in

Deutsche Bank announced

last week that it would be

moving its non-Deutschmark

Eurobond activities to London

and a new subsidiary Deutsche

Bank Capital Markets is due to

Morgan Grenfell also re-

vealed yesterday that it would end up paying £31m of goodwill

for both Pinchin Denny, the stockjobber and Pember & Boyle, the specialist gilts broker,

which will eventually be inte-grated with Morgan Greafell

Partners in the two firms will

receive one-third in cash for

shares in the holding company. The remaining two-thirds will take the form of securities convertible after five years into

shares in the holding company.

formal link with Deutsche Bank will help foster the growth of its

international business.

The ease with which the

merchant bank has raised capital from shareholders re-

Morgan Grenfell hopes the

Securities.

start operating pext spring.

rights issue.

The announcement came even as the powerful open market committee of the Fed-

conditions over the past month.

Markets appear convinced that the Fed will approve a more generous credit policy, at least over the short term, to stimulate the flagging US morning but it recovered by economy and promote lower interest rates which have been points, down 9.83. dropping steadily.

Over the longer term, however, there remained deep concern over the Reagan Administration's commitment to tackle the huge Federal budget delicits with a combination of tax increases and spending reductions in the new budget which will be unveiled in

providing £75m towards a £150m safety net of indemnities

to cover losses at Johnson Matthey Bankers should the

damage exceed £170m. The extent of the Bank of England's

contribution to the indemnity net, which was intended to be a

largely private sector effort, is

likely to provoke a political

row, and may prove embar-rassing to the Government.

been informed about the contri-

bution the Bank of England has

now agreed to make to the safety net. But Mr Nigel Lawson, the Chancellor, has

already taken pains to distance

himself from the Bank's hand-ling of the JMB affair

Details of the indemnities

were tied up at a meeting at the

Bank of England yesterday. Originally the Bank offered to put up £10m out of £100m. Four members of the gold market were to provide £30m,

places on the council of Lloyd's insurance mar ket - four

external and four working -

reinforced the status quo and

were a blow to the Association

of Lloyd's Members, represent-ing 2,300 external Lloyd's

bent Mr Christopher Davidge

who was away expected to be

reclected. Three of the four

The Treasury is said to have

propelling stock prices to record levels in the weeks ahead as Wall Street digest the prospect of four more years of a heavily pro-business Administration.

On profit taking the Dow down nearly 15 points yesterday

"However, I expect the stock market is going to be at record levels sooner than most people think," Mr Joseph Bench, chief economist of Sherson, Lehman, American Experss, said. Indeed, it is quite possible

that President Reagan's re-election may reverse the trend of his first term when markets went from bearish - during a In the short term, despite went from bearish - during a profit taking on the stock period of high unemployment markets vesterday, the impact and economic malaise in 1981

Scottish clearing banks plus

However, fierce resistance from the clearing banks at being asked to shoulder such a

burden appears to have forced

the Bank of England to match

the private sector contribution

in order to reach agreement.

Furthermore, the clearing banks have only agreed to

The Bank of England ap-pears satisfied with the out-come and it was being stressed

yesterday that the fact that the

package was now half as big

again, did not mean that the likely losses at JMB were necessarily higher than orig-

inally thought.

Initial losses will be covered by the £170m of capital already available. Only thereafter would the indemnities come into play.

missed reelection by 50 votes. Mr Fredjohn and Mr Julian

Byng, who came fifth and sixth,

The new external face on the

council is Mr John Andrews, considered by the ALM to be

voting dropped to 39 per cent against 51 per cent in 1982. In the election for working mem-

were both ALM candidates.

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provide £35m

The immediate economic eral Reserve Board, which acts of Mr Reagan's victory is and 1982 - to bullish, producing impact of President Reagan's as a central bank, met for the expected to be positive, perhaps the greatest bull market in American history which began in August 13, 1982. From that point onward, the index rose 471 points in 10 months, adding \$600 billion to the value of stocks on th New York Stock

> Market analysts, anticipating an easier monetary policy by the Fed, expect the bullish trend to continue in the early stages of a second Reagan term but the outlook immediately beyond is clouded.

> The twin spectres of record Federal budget deficits of more than \$180 billion and of record trade deficits expected to mon than double this year, to \$135 billion must be dealt with quickly in order to retain the confidence of markets in susnon-inflationary US

LONDON CLOSE Sterling Index 76.5 up 0.3 (range 76.5-76.3) \$1,2725 up 1,10 cents DM 3,7400 up 0.02 FrF 11.44 up 0.0225 Yen 306.55 up 1.35

DM 2.9300 down 0.0195 NEW YORK LATEST Sterling \$1.2745 Dollar DM 2.9340

Mr Stuart Goldsmith, manag-We hope we may find some

network."

Heseltine has sold the present maximum permissible stake of 29.9 per cent to Britannia, which will top up to 100 per cent when the rules permit. Heseltine's key staff is being

Britannia already has 15 regional offices through Singer and Friedlander, the merchant banking subsidiary, and National Employers Life Assur-

Mr Goldsmith said that Britannia was keeping an open mind on whether to link with an established retailer, as Hill Samuel has with Debenhams and Hambro Life with House of Fraser. But he did expect to develop some sort of high street

Heseltine has 21 partners and 108 employees. Its £325m under management is a useful Sovereigns" (new); \$81 - 82 (£63.75 - 64.50) "Excludes VAT addition to Britannia's £1.5 billion in this country,

Britannia **Arrow links** with broker

By William Kay, City Editor

Britania Arrow, the unit trust and fund management group, yesterday became the latest outsider to buy its ticket to the new-look stock market being launched in 1986. But it is the first to begin building what promises to be a powerful broking network aimed at the

private investor.

Britannia's first partner is
Heseltine Moss, the Reading
stockbroker with 30,000 clients spread through 10 branches along the M4 from London to Cardiff.

ing director of Britannia, added: other brokers in other areas who might want to come into our

tied with five-year contracts.

presence eventually.

Just a few minutes after eceiving notification that his offer would not be referred to

Street electrical retail chain, rose by 53p to 487p yesterday. after Dixons improved the terms of its original offer by £42m to

Shares in Currys, the High

the Monopolies Commission. Mr Stanley Kalms, chairman of Dixons, offered a new mixture of cash and shares, valuing each Currys share at 480p.

Mr Kalms also made it clear that the new terms on offer were final and would not be revised. Almost immediately, the Currys' board rejected the new bid terms, claiming they still fell far short of an acceptable value for Currys.

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STOCK EXCHANGES

T-SE 100 Index: 1,157.3 down 4.1 (high; 1,161.8; low; 1,154.2) FY Index: 894.1 down 6.9 FT Gits: 82.89 up 0.25 FT All Share: 546.86 down 1.15 Bargains: 21,042 Datastream USM Leaders New York: Dow Jones Industrial Average: (latest) 1229,34 down 14.8

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Tokyo: Nikkei Dow Jones Index
11,178.54 down 119.12
Hongkong: Hang Seng Index
1046.03 up 8.36
Amsterdam: 178.3 down 1.0
Sydney: AO Index 777.7 down 4.7

CURRENCIES

Dollar Index 137.7 down 0.8

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INTEREST RATES

Domestic rates Bank base rates 10 Finance houses base rate 11 Discount market loans week fixed 3 month interbenk 101/15 - 91/16

Euro-currency rates: 3 month dollar 9% - 91/2 3 month DM 51/16 - 51/16 3 month Fr F111/4 - 111/4

US rates Bank prime rate 12.00 - 11.75 Fed funds 81/2 Treasury long bond 107% - 1074 ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme IV Average reference rate for interest period October 3 to November 6 1984,

inclusive: 10.615 per cent.

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ECGD drops demand for full cover deals. They complained to this

By John Lawless

Britain's biggest exporters:

set to merge One of the greatest criticisms

year's Matthews committee of inquiry into its future oper-

can match the sort of service allegedly provided by the

He also made it clear, though, that the breaking of the "comprehensive cover only" rule applied only to rain big exporters. He added: "There has been a gradual move away

Luncheon Vouchers tops Times 1000 profit league

1986. The new body will adot the next Budget. Among other criticisms, the LOA warns tall removing existing tax reliefs on pensions "could jeopardize he continued availability of figalsalary pension schemes." It tas per cent.

This is revealed in the 20th

RUSH & TOMPKINS the property and construction by Trusthouse Forte, Alliedgroup, has increased petax profits for the six months to Lyons, Grand Metropolitan and Associated British Foods. Its position at the top of the June 30 to £1.2m up from £1.1m. Turnover rose to £49m profitability table owes much to from £39m. The interim divithe fact that its capital employed has not been increased for some years, artificially Tempus, page 19 inflating the apparent return. ESAL (COMMODITIES). the trading group which col-

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biggest money losers in the past year, in the shape of Texaco and Mobil's British offshoots. biggest 1,000 companies by employed was swollen by the annual turnover, shows no £771m takeover of Thomas change in the top seven. British Petroleum again heads the table would doubtless argue that their with turnover of £37.9 billion.

Royal Dutch Petroleum on

beggest is Toyota Motor Corporation with £15,2 billion. However, four US corporations outstrip BP: Exxon (£83.6 billion, General Motors, American Telephone and Telegraph and Mobil Corporation.

return in 1983 compared with 1964. In order of size they are Marks and Spencer, Thorn

The main list, of Britain's its latest figure for capital Tilling. Some of the others apparent performance has been

cently and the latest injection So the BSA suggests that both costs from Deutsche Bank also remove a key incentive for considering a Stock Exchange should be represented in the RPI; or that the mortgage rate should be dropped they want to become market makers:

The Exports Credits Guarantee Department has removed its ations that the agency was only insistence on comprehensive insurance policies for some of

willing to insure all of a company's overseas business, or none of it.

However, Mr Fred Chapman,

from exporters over many years has been that ECGD has inflexibly refused to consider insuring individual export for certain companies so that we from the requirements to insure everything. We would not want to do it with a tiny exporter,

By William Kay

For the fourth year running Luncheon Vouchers, the consortium company which oper-ates the scheme for employee meal vouchers, has achieved the best return on capital employed of any company in the land. But the figure showed a sharp fall compared with the previous year, from 331 per cent to 182.9

anniversary issue of The Times 1000, the annual review of the biggest, best and worst com-panies round the world. Lunchedn Vouchers is owned

The rest of the table shows an lapsed this year with \$220m intriguing cross-section of the (£175m) debts, has been compulsory wound up in the High Court in London. Mr Justice Harman made the order PERCENTAGE RETURN ON CAPITAL EMPLOYED

Reuters
Yorkshire Television
Famell Electronics
Napier Brown
Esso UK

Total Oil Marine

To mark the 20th anniver sary, the book publishes the 20-year record of Britain's top 50 Most of the 50 show a steady improvement in profit as a percentage of net capital employed. But 11 show a lower

EMI, Lourbo, Tesco, GKN, GUS, Boots, Incheape, BOC, Unigate and Ranks Hovis McDougail. BTR suffered a fall too, but

This stands up well to inter-national comparisons. The capital instead of borrowing biggest European company is (The Times 1000, Times Books

COMMODITIES

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7th November, 1984, its Base Rate for lending is being decreased from

10 ½ % to 10% p.a.

The interest rate payable on High Interest deposit accounts subject to twenty-one days' notice of withdrawal will be decreased from 8 1/2 % to 7 3/4 % p.a

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EURO-\$ DEPOSITS

MONEY MARKETS

Period rates firmed somewhat yesterday, principally levered from the short end under the influence of tight money. The cost of running positions to speculate upon the next base rate cut, now expected

around the end of November or carly December, also helped. For the key three-month interbank term deposit. the rise was limited to 1/16. Activity was on a much lesser scale than of

Eurodollar deposits sav reasonable business in the wake of the US Presidential eletion. spurred by the prospect of prime rate cuts at US banks. Yet rates were firming rather than easing at the end of the

NOTICE OF REDEMPTION

Tone Barely Stead

Federative Republic of Brazil

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, on behalf of the Federative Republic of Brazil, that on December 1, 1984, \$255,000 principal amount of its 81/5 External Bonds will be redeemed out of money-to be paid by it to Dillon. Read & Co. Inc., as Principal Paying Agent, pursuant to the related Authenticating Agency Agreement and Paying Agency Agreement, each dated as of December 1, 1972. Manufacturers Hansver Trust Company, as Authenticating Agency Large, has selected, by but, for such redemption the Bonds bearing the following serial numbers:

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Dated: November 1, 1984

DILLON, READ & CO. INC.

Bank of Scotland Base Rate

Bank of Scotland announces that, with effect from 7th November 1984 its Base Rate will be decreased from 10.50% per annum to 10.00% per annum.

BANK OF SCOTLAND A FRIEND FOR LIFE

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Base Rate

Its base rate waseduced from 10 1/2 % to 0%

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ClydesdaleBank PLC

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Bank PLC

announces

that with effect

from 8th November

1984 its Base Rate

for lending is being

reduced from

10½% to 10%

per annum

Base Lending

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ı	Consolidated Crds 10 1/2 %
ı	Continental Trust
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1	Lloyds Bank 10%
ł	Midland Bank 10%
1	Nat Westminster 10%
1	TSB 10 /2 %
ł	Williams & Glyn's 10%
ı	Citibank NA 10%
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★ TURNOVER

* EARNINGS PER SHARE **DIVIDEND PER SHARE**

11.87p £ 3,775,000

£21,317,000 £ 812,000 11.18p 1.50p

MICHAEL PETERS GROUP – has acquired Cockade, one ol Britain's leading designers and constructors of exhibitions and displays. The initial purchase price amounts to £1.3m with further consideration payable dependent on profit levels of Cockade in the two years to June 30, 1986.

• COPE ALLMAN INTL: The chairman, Mr Michael Ashcroft, told the annual meeting that trading in the first four months of this year has been ahead of its own budgets and has given increasing confide

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Extraordinary debit nil (61). Shares

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HARTWELLS GROUP: Interim External sales six months to August 31 (Figures in £000) – 109.830 (107.815). Trading profit 1.747 (2.523). Pretaix profit 2.519 (2.224) after interest and stock finance charges 228 (299). Tax 630 (476). Earnings per share 7p (6.5p).

• MICHAEL PETERS GROUP

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7 day deposits on sums of under £10,000, 64%; £10,000 up to £50,000, 74% £50,000 and over, 8½%,

* PRE-TAX PROFIT

★ REVENUE RESERVE

£ 3,103,000

RESULTS 1983/84

1984 £21,999,000 £ 873,000

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The share capital set out below shows the position after redemption at £1 per share, out of peri of the proceeds of the Offer for Sale to be received by the Company, of the Company's 63,776 Cumulative Redeemable Preference shares of 1p each.

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The interest payable on deposit accounts subject to seven days' notice of withdrawal will be decreased from $7 \frac{1}{2}\%$ to $6\frac{3}{4}\%$ p.a.

HongkongBank (X)

announces that on and after 7th November, 1984

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation

The British Bank of the Middle East

the following annual rates will apply Deposit Rate (basic) 7% Base Rate 10% (Previously 10/206) (Previously 7/2%)

Wardley London Limited Midland Bank

Interest Rates

Base Rate

Reduces by 1/2% to 10% per annum with effect from 7th November 1984. **Deposit Accounts**

Interest paid on 7 day deposit accounts

reduces by 34% to 61/2% p.a. with effect

from 7th November 1984. Save and Borrow Accounts Interest paid on credit balances reduces to the above Deposit Account rate and

interest charged on overdrawn balances

remains at 191/2% p.a. with effect from

6th December 1984. APR 20.9%.

ABRIDGED PARTICULARS Application has been made to the Council of The Stock Exchange for the Ordinary shares of Wardie Storeys plo to be admitted to the Official List

WARDLE STOREYSPIC Offer for Sale

Hill Samuel & Co. Limited of 7,000,000 Ordinary shares of 10p each at a price of 132p per share, payable in full on application

Share Capital

£2,000,000 in Ordinary shares of 10p each £1,543,365 The shares which are the subject of the Offer for Sale will rank in full for all dividends hereafter declared, paid or made on the Ordinary share capital of

36 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh EH2 2YB. and from the following branches of Hill Samuel & Co. Limited:-71 New Street, Birmingham B2 4DU 19 St. James's Square, London SW1Y 4JQ 7 Booth Street, Manchester, M2 4AE

The Royal Bank of Scotland ple

15 Clare Street, Bristol BS1 1XO

3 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow G1 2DT The Offer for Sale is being advertised in full, with an application form, in today's Furancial Times and Daily Telegraph.

39 Wigmore Street, London W1H 0AL

Wardle Storeys is a specialist manufacturer of plastic sheet which it sells to a wide range of industrial and commercial customers. The application list will open at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, 13th November, 1984 and may be closed at any time thereafter Copies of the Offer for Sale with Application Forms may be obtained from:-Hill Samuel & Co. Limited 100 Wood Street. 100 Old Broad Street London ECCP CA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING and from.-Williams & Glya's Bank plc, 7TH NOVEMBER, 1984 30 East Parade, New Issues Department. 3) Crey Street 67 Lombard Street Newcastle upon Tyne, ileeds LS1 5PS

issued and fully paid

S Africa cracks Pilkington hopes

By Derek Pain and Pam Spooner

Shares Brothers, the glass group, fell yesterday as Scrimgeour, Kemp-Gee, the broker, warned that the group's South African operations had splintered profit expectations.

Scrimgeour has pulled back its own forecast to £105m. Last Pilkington produced

Mr Noel Hayes and Mr David Taylor, Scrimgeour analysts, say that last year the South African business contribured 45 per cent of the company's total trading profits. But in the present year the deteriorating South African economic climate and the weak rand are likely to have a sharp impact on the return from the

So, despite buoyant trading in the United States and the continuing improvement in the United Kingdom, Pilkington, say the analysts, is unlikely to

Co-op Bank announces a change

in base rate from

10.50% to 10.00% p.a.

With effect from

Thursday 8th November 1984.

Deposit rates will become

High Interest Investment Accounts

range from

8.50% to 9.75% p.a.

depending on amount and term

(minimum £500 and 6 months).

Co-op Bank Cheque & Save

The bonus notional interest rate on Cheque & Save is 10.00%

(on amounts beyond £1,000)

6.75% p.a.

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Forecasts have ranged up to But it is in the following year when the City's profit expec-

tations will be more cruelly shattered, believe the Scrimgeour men. They say, "Hopes of £150m appear untenable".

Messrs Hayes and Taylor believe that profits to March, 1986, will, in fact, show no growth over the present year and they are forecasting an unchanged £105m.

Pilkington will indicate whether the Scrimgeour duo is on the right path next month when it announces its interim figures. In the meantime the Scrimgeour revision was enough to lop the shares 15p to 198p. They have been as high as 330p this year and as low as

Equities had a dull day with

Pilkington achieve the full year results the FT 30 share index closing at shares for 10 Francis shares a group, fell many in the City are expecting, its lowest of the day, 894.1 against a previous offer of 5 for its lowest of the day, 894.1 points, down 6.9 points. 4. Suter shares closed down 2p The FT-SE index, which had at 124p and Francis shares

not less than £2m.

The downturn has resulted

bank, is offering 7 million shares for sale at 132p each in

Wardle Storeys, the recamped

Bernard Wardle, plastic group. Mr Brian Taylor, managing

director, led a management

Institutional holders, and another 1.59 million shares are

being issued and sold to raise

£1.55m net for the company.

Wardle is valued at £20.4m at

the offer price, and gets a price/carnings rating of 8.1 on

an actual 21 per cent tax charge.

from the BL strike in Septemb-

er, the increasing effect of the miners' strike on Francis

customers, higher than expected interest rates and Austin Rover-

/Jaguar problems now. Suter's chairman, Mr David

Abell, is confident he can turn things round. Market estimates

for Suter's 1984 profits are for more than a 70 per cent increase

Gomme Holdings, the G-Plan furniture manufacturer, was

unchanged at 26p. The group made second half pretax profits

of £662,000 in the year to July 27, 1984 and first half profits of

£854,000, not as reported in Tempus yesterday £366,000 and

for a variety of shares, Horizon Travel where Grand Metropoli-

tan built up a small stake and

announced its willingness to bid earlier this summer, fell another

5p to 133p. GrandMet is backing off, having met un-

Rowntree Mackintosh,

longtime favourite among

market speculators to receive a

takeover offer - from the US -

Johnson Matthey, the bank-

Bid hopes continued to fade

£1.15m respectively.

wanted resistance.

to £3.6m pretax.

Samuel, the merchant

started with a modest gain, came back from their suspen-finished at 1,157.3 points, down sion at 151p to close at 132p. 4.1 points. With the American election

running true to expectations, May, valued the company at any further interest rate cuts at least a few days away and the at Francis means its profit looming mass of the British Telecom flotation, there was little for markets to get excited

But Government stocks, helped by sterling's improving performance against the dollar Hill and the transatiantic interest rate cuts, achieved gains of up to £4. They were at one time holding improvements of more

Among the leaders General Electric Co closed with a 2p fall buyout just two years ago with a to 230p. Phillips and Drew, the 170,000 loan. His scake is now broker, is suggesting that the group will recapture some of its selling £2.9m in the offe for old investment appeal once the sale. More shares come from interim results appears new interim results appear next

of the figures, the broker says the results "should mark the return of growth for the company as a result of the absence of exceptional factors". P and D is forecasting interims of £330m against £285m. For the full year a figure of around £776m looks likely. Last year GEC produced £671m.

Urging clients to buy ahead

Currys Group jumped 53p to

Yorkshire Chemicals rose Ip to 56p following confirmation that the Canadian investor Mr Peter. Cundill has 5.6 per cent of shares, as disclosed in The Times on Tuesday. His investment group holds the shares through Atlantic Naminees.

487p following the revised terms from Dixons Group. The higher offer has already been rejected by Currys and there is market speculation that BAT Industries may be tempted into the battle. Dixons shares rose 70 to 355p.

Banks were weak. Barclays Bank, with rumours of a large line of shares on offer, fell 7p to 537p. Lloyds lost 5p to 527p; Midland 5p to 354p and National West sinster 10p to

Suter and Francis Ladostries have finally agreed on a renegotiated £15.3m takeover agreed £17.4m bid, which was again. The shares lost 4p to withdrawn last week when it 368p, emerged Francis' trading emerged Francis' trading per-formance had deteriorated. ormance had deteriorated. ing and industrial group, fell 5p Suter is offering 11 of its to 138p as market men lost

hope of a full bid from British Petroleum. BP wants more information about Matthey's whose banking division struck heavy bad debt problems this year and needed rescuing.

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Takeover talk stays strong a Suter's first bitterly contested Stylo Shoes, where British Land bid for Francis, which lapsed in has a 7.3 per cent stake and plenty of spare cash in the bank. £14.4m. The trading downturn Stylo shares jumped another 12p yesterday to 155p, having estimate for the year ending December 1984 has been touched 158p at one stage. trimmed back from £2.37m to

Macallan-Glenlivet, the mal whisky group, jumped a further 50p to 400p, making a gain of 130p in little more than a week. The market in the shares is exceedingly thin. At their present price the shares are yielding about 1 per cent and selling near 40 times last year's

A company statement saying takeover talks were not going on

The strength of the Mac-Glan shares helped some other whisky stocks. Macdonald Martin Distilleries "B" advanced 10p to 670p and the "A" gained 10p to 660p. Even lossmaking Tomatin managed a !p gain to 22p.

Dobson Park Industries.

which makes equipment for the coal industry, rose 4p to 73p as City folk reckon the miners' strike is collapsing. Dowty Group picked up pennics for the same reason, rising 3p to 173p.
Turkey producer Bernard

Simon Engineering saw action yesterday as Scrimgeour, Kemp-Gee, the brokers, picked up shares for their clients. Scrim geour visited the company last week and was impressed; more brokers are due to take a look soon. The share price hit 440p at one stage before settling for a 7p rise at 435 p.

Matthews fluttered higher as investors look forward to the company's major selling season.

The shares jumped 12p to 231p.

J Sainsbury lost another 10p to 282p, having disappointed the market on Tuesday with half year profits 20 per cent higher, but within the range of City forecasts,

Avana Group, one of the best-known food suppliers to Mark and Spencer, gained 11p to 512p as investors show appreciation of recent half-time figures. The company raised pretax profits from £6.67m to £7.71m, and lifted the interim

dividend 0.75p to 4.5p.
Equity turnover on Tuesday
was worth £313.393m from 19,292 deals. Gilt bargains were 3,976. Total number of UK and Irish stocks traded was 158.2 TEMPUS

Dixons goes for the kill with 90p extra

The Currys-Dixon bid battle charged into top gear again, yesterday. Ahead of market expectations. Dixons announced a startling 90p im-provement in its bid terms, valuing each Currys share at 480p. It took the Currys board exactly 55 minutes to reject Dixons' £ 2m increase in it market worth, Early in the afternoon, Dixons announced flatly that the new bid terms

were a final offer. And so, over to the share-holders. The tactics of the Dixons' camp appear to include a knockout blow via the better bid terms. This means that any white knight has toenter the lists at about 520p a share to look feasible - tricky even for the corporate gentry.

Meanwhile, the refusal to bid up further presumably may help trim any froth from the Currys' price generated by the impending asset revaluation profit forecast; this could take assets per share up to the 700p

mark.
The new offer document maintains the high standards of rudeness in the bid battle. The Dixons camp describes the Curry's defence variously, as weak; contrived; confusing; and misleading. Dixons dis-misses Currys' valuation approach as fanciful.

But apart from the loan notes tax sweetener, aimed presumably at the Currys family, the new terms are angled directly at the institutional shareholders. Hence the importance of Dixons' profits statement, which calculates a 55 per cent profits improvement in the year to November 10, three times higher than Currys' rate of

growth.
This means that any earnngs. dilution to Dixons' enlarged capital, after the bid, should be negligible. The cash

looks low, given the rationalzation potential within the Currys' empire.

explains the continuing rise in the Dixons' share price. At 355p, the shares have put on. some 18 per cent since the battle started. It possibly indicates the institution's willingness to acquire Dixons' paper, either directly through the market, or indirectly by rolling over their Currys' stakes. But has the Currys family made up its mind as

Rush & Tompkins

Rush & Tompkins sits almost uncomfortably in the property company category and its extensive construction interests continue to make the City somewhat wary of its real status. The 40 per cent discount of the share price to net asset value, almost twice the sector average, bears ample witness to this, but the time may be approaching when the

position is rectified. Yesterday's interim pretax profits of £1.2m, only marginally up on the previous year, cannot have helped the Rush & Tompkins cause, although the full-year results should show a more substantial increase. This will help create a more solid record of profits growth and the company should then begin to attract more interest.

The portfolio of investment properties has been steadily improved over the last 18 months and there has been a welcome, if slightly surprising, increase in demand for accommodation.

Even the construction side

of the business should not give too much cause for alarm. The overseas operations had a good first half and margins seem

easier to achieve than in

The shares closed down 60 at 222p. The discount to net Presumably this awareness assets makes them look cheap and on a longer-term view they become more attractive. With good profits they could go as high as 300p next year.

Cater Allen

Despite a marked reluctance by the gilts market to pay much attention to the new tap offers were allotted in full at the minimum tender price buyers were out in force again yesterday, Shorts pushed ahead by about 7s point, while gains among the longs were about % point at the best levels of the

Hence, Cater Allen, yet another putative player in the new gilts market, chose a good day to announce that earnings in the six months to the end of last month had been substantially bigher than in 1983. Despite swings in base rates of about five points, the discount house apparently kept its nerve during the July bear trap, and sprang back into the market during the August rally, Both September and October have been good months; in this context, "substantial" might actually add up to doubled profits, although the house is stone-walling any quantification of its profits.

Cater Allen is hoping to enter the new market as a specialist trader. One likely area it might consider is the index-linked category for gilts. Despite attracting a high risk rating under the Bank of England's new scales, the authorities will under the new regime, plan to stand behind this market to improve liquidity. This could reduce the trading risks after the whole new gilts system goes live.

COMPANY NEWS IN BRIEF

● JESSUPS: Final 2p making 3p (1.5p), payable January 4. Group turnover for the year to August 31 – figures in £000 – (comparisons adjusted) 49,945 (45,143). Gross profit 2,192 (1,683) after other operating expenses 1,362 (1,452). Pretax profit 1,134 (901) after interest 1,058 (782). Tax 56 (185). Extraordinary credit 626 (debit 59). Earnings per share 12,89p (8,58p adjusted). Shares unchanged at 53.

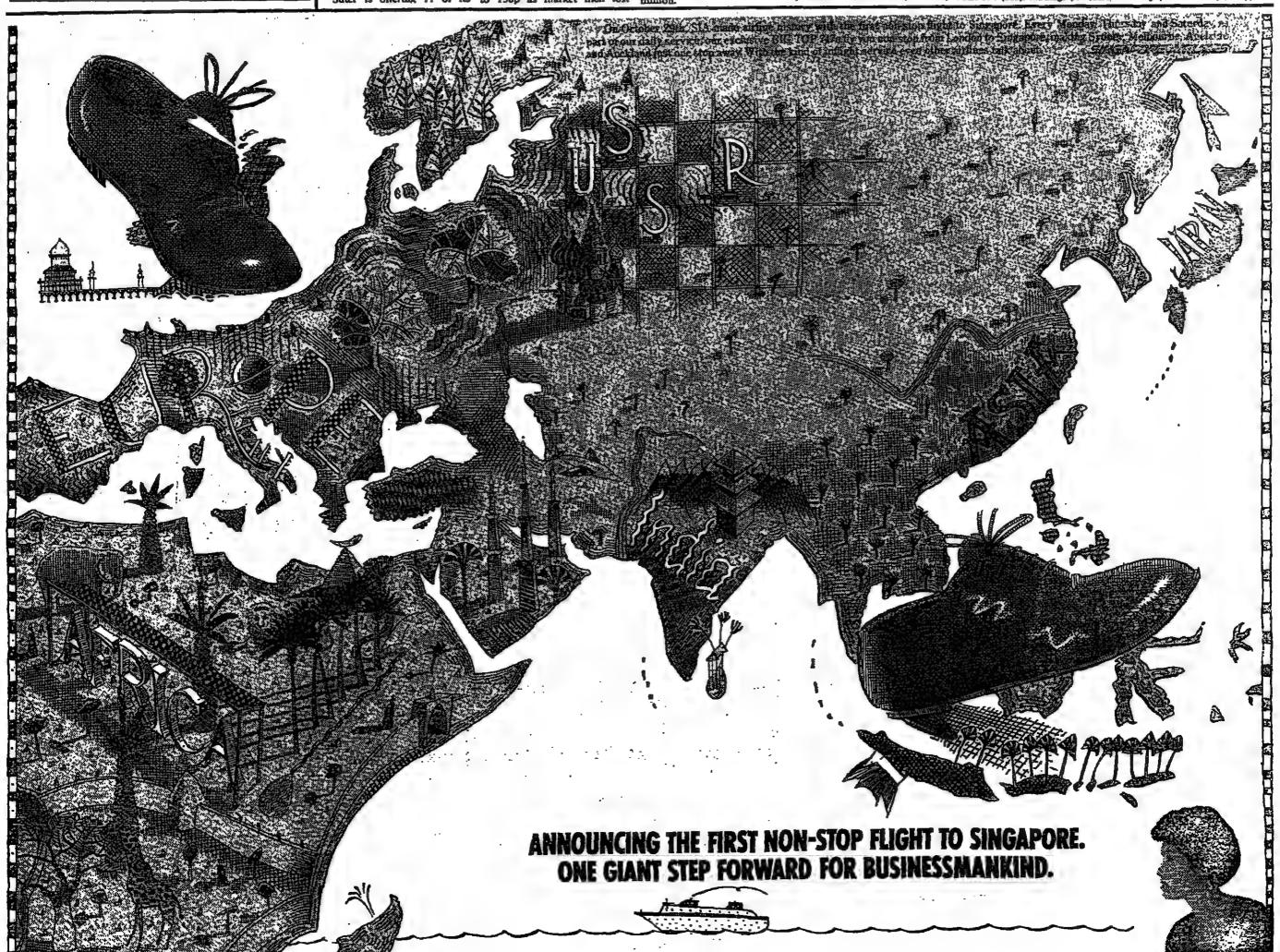
• BRADFORD PROPERTY TRUST: Results for half year to October 5. Interim 3.25p or 4.64p

gross (4p). (Figures in £000) Rental income, exclusive of rates 3.076 (2,663). Sales by dealing companies 4,858 (4,584). Operating profit 4,940 (4,207), Pretax profit 4,943 (4.212) including associated companies 7 (9), but after interest pay 4 (4). Tax 2.170 (2.178). Earnings per ordinary share 4.23p (3.08p) on surplus from property rentals. O HAMBROS INVESTMENT

TRUST: Results for six months to September 30. Interim 1.1p (1p). (Figures in £000) Revenue 2,501 (2,204). Net pretax revenue 1,743 (1,641) after expenses 758 (563). Tax 594 (583). Earnings per share

2.11p (1.94p). Net asset value per ordinary share 185.7p (158.5p) at par and 185.6p (160.4p) at market

9 THIRD MILE INVESTMENT: Interim dividend 0.7p. For six months to June 30. Figures in £000 Turnover 542 (492), Gross Revenue 107 (78), Pretex profit 53 (41), Tax 11 (7). Earnings per share 1.75p (1.42p). Shares 63 down.



New Enterprises

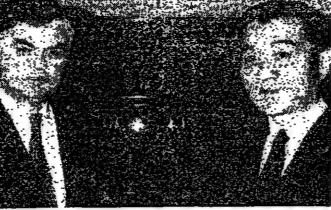
Are we a nation of risk-takers? The thrust for new jobs continues.

 Left: David Trippier, Minister for Small Businesses, gets away from the ministerial desk, and right, Norman Lament, Minister for Trade and Industry, with Mr H. Hamada, of Ricoh of Japan, at Telford, where a new factory will be opened.

ostering new enterprise in Britain, whether indipany expansions and creation of new small businesses or by encouraging inward investment from companies abroad, has its problems.

One unhappy effect of the miners' strike is its threat to the patient work of those in government, among local auth-orities and in development agencies in wooing foreign investment where a proud British claim of far fewer working days being lost now

But the thrust for new enterprises in Britain is not now easily stopped. There was a net increase last year in the number of small companies to 47,000, the highest figure on record and taking account of those which



Small Businesses at the Department of Trade and Industry, expects this year's figures to be "quite a bit" higher. He believes, moreover, that only about a fifth are being created because those behind them, usually because of redundancy,

have no alternative but to set up The latest surveys support the conclusion that during times of recession the small business birth rate goes up, a pattern to be expected in a country like Britain where redundancy can

sation to make setting in business financially possible. Foreign investment in the United Kingdom is running at a high level. Last year 236 projects, some 57 per cent of them from the United States, were traced as having set up in Britain by the Invest in Britain

the bureau was set up in 1977. But it prohably understates the actual number of projects involved because not all use the bureau's machinery.

The 1983 projects alone created more than 15,000 jobs and safeguarded another 18,000.

In announcing a few weeks ago an expanded inward investment promotion programme by the bureau, Norman Lamont Minister of State for Industry said he expected results in 1984 to be better than last year. produce sufficient compen-Among the 1984 arrivals are Nissan, National Semiconductor, Monsanto and NEC Semiconductors.

The latest hint is that in the wake of Nissan, the Japanese car maker which is due to open its assembly plant at Washington New Town in the North East in 1986, another Japanese

in Britain. Whether Britain or another

Toyota's choice will depend on the success of the Nissan plant, according to Hideo Kamio, vice president of Toyota Motor Corporation

Foreign owned manufacturers now account for nearly a fifth of British output and a quarter of net capital expenditure, according to the latest analyses based on 1981 returns. Britain looks likely to continue to attract particularly United States and Canadian companies as a base for European

But in 1983 West Germany put the second largest clutch of project plans through the Invest in Britain Bureau - 166 compared with 285 from the United States - and altogether 50 European companies were known to have decided to set up new manufacturing plants in Britain, prospectively creating 1,000 new jobs.

Mr Trippier believes the rate of indigenous growth through the creation of new small businesses will continue to rise. He has indentified some problems which could slow such growth and has plans to tackle

One insight into the problems has come from a survey on entrepreneurial climates carried out in 11 countries and collated by SKIM, the industrial market research unit based in Rotter-Small businesses in Britain suffer more than the creation.

is considering setting up a plant international average from government rules and red tape, from funding and interest rate difficulties and from taxation,

the survey found. Despite the grumbles, British businesses had higher expectations of sales growth. More than 60 per cent looked to sales increases this next 12 months against the survey average of 47 per cent. Some 70 per cent of the British businesses were also looking to overall growth in their activities. Britons also showed up as more thrustful risk-takers, with 35 per cent of them in this category compared with 13 per cent in West

Cutting back form-filling

Mr Trippier has been pushing hard to slash form-filling by small businesses. The efficiency unit in the Prime Minister's office is due to finish a study by January of how to cut down fourther on the the burdens of Government regulations on

Improved training for those running small businesses is another target and Mr Trippier has also welcomed the drive to persuade more graduates to move into the small business sector. The Schools Council Industry Project (SCIP) is being strengthened; it attempts to teach youngsters from 13 the aims of enterprise and wealth

Mr Trippier said: "We have to get the message over in the teacher training colleges as well. If teachers do not recognise the importance of enterprise we have a problem.

A growing conribution to new enterprises in Britain is from worker cooperatives. Their number has virtually doubled in the past two years to nearly 1,000 according to the latest survey by the Cooperative Development Agency (CDA). This is in addition to consumer, housing and agricultural coop-

Half of the newly surveyed worker cooperatives are in the various service sectors. There are 137 manufacturing cooper-

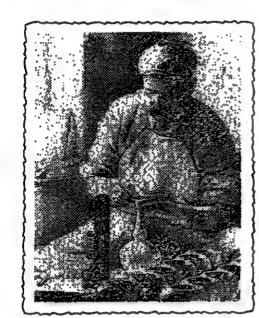
One of the big question marks over the direction new enterprises will take in Britain is what changes the Government brings in on regional policy. Final details are still being discussed in Whitehall but an announcement is expected be-

Broadly, a tightening up on grants in development areas is expected, with assistance going only to those companies guaranteeing additinal jobs. The towns are bound to find the Whitehall money tap screwed down tightly. But at least some parts of the West Midlands are expected to gain development area status. Service industries are for the first time to benefit in development arcas.

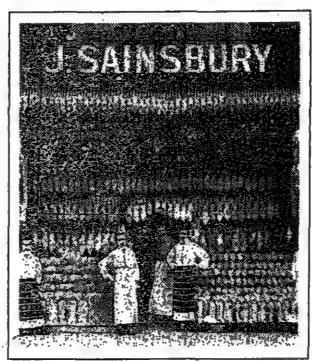
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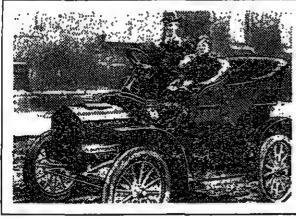
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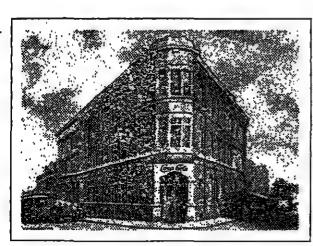
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Calling in the counsellors

growing numbers are having an increasing impact on the creation of new enterprise, are likely to have a role in a plan to improve management training in

new businesses. Because those who run small businesses have so many pressures on their time, David Businesses, is planning a package of distance learning courses to attack the problem of a lack in small businesses of a broad range of management skills. Heads of small businesses need to acknowledge any limitations they have and seek advice, Mr Trippier said.

The learning packages, with which the Manpower Services Commission may belp with some funding, could go to further education colleges with which many enterprise agencies have close connexions. Mr Trippier said: "The enterprise agencies could help with this we shall only lick these problems at the

Many enterprise agencies these back on their feet. An have already expanded their attempt is also being made to role. There are now rather more than 220, with prospects rising counselling and other work from to more than 300 around the middle sized companies as well country. As well as counselling as the big organizations which small businesses many have have so far been the main source generated schemes to provide workshops for infant businesses and office accommodation.

(BIC) whose muscle has just been increased by its merger with the Confederation of British Industry's Special Programmes Unit (SPU). BIC is now not only an umbrella body for the enterprise agencies but is looking to the SPU's work in encouraging job creation through community based ef-

Thousands of jobs are being safeguarded or saved hy advice and assistance to small businesses.

Lord Carr, chairman of the reorganizing BIC, estimates create new jobs at the rate of 30,000 a year through formation of new businesses. There are probably thousands of other jobs being safeguarded or saved by advice and practical assistance to small businesses.

agencies have faltered and BIC is now mounting a drive to ect recruit more

But more big companies are throwing their weight behind There are about 1,900 coun- the enterprise agency movesellors so far deployed by the ment, among the latest recruits enterprise agencies around the being the Beecham Group, country. An attempt to gear up this coverage by as much as 30 National Coal Board.

Franchise for 350,000 jobs

last five years, has made a bigger contribution to the launching of new enterprises in Britain than has previously been realised. Its impact over the next five years is also likely to grow by five times or more. It means by 1989 franchising existence were started since the

should have produced some 350,000 jobs with overall turnover in the industry running by then at more than £5 billion a year at today's prices.

This is the picture which emerges from the first detailed survey of the industry in the United Kingdom published carlier this month after being commissioned by the British Franchise Association (BFA), which has 87 members.

There are 70,000 people employed in franchising 50,000 of them full-time, and the 220 to 230 active franchises have an annual turnover of about £1,041m, according to the survey. Until now the best estimates of employment in the industry have been considerably less than this at about 50,000 although the BFA had been billion by this year end.

It is the modern concept of franchising which largely lies behind the booms which has now reached the point where the industry accounts for a fifth of all retail sales. Tied pubs of breweries were an early fran-chising form followed by the concept of sales and distri-bution rights in specific lo-cations as in the motor trade.

In the latest generation of franchises a business format can be bought and sold, involving not only a franchising name usually promoted nationally but locations, stocks and materials, advice and even in some case loan finance. These are the franchises which range from fast food and drain cleaning to dress shops and fast printing outlets.

annual growth in the number of franchisors - the owners of operations who then make allocations of outlets to franchisees - has been 12 per cent. But nearly three quarters of the franchise operations now in end of 1979. Over the next two grow by a further two thirds.

for two thirds of all franchise operations. Home improvements and maintenance has per cent. Food and drink accounts for

another 17 per cent. In terms of food and drink generates 29 per

franchising weighted towards private customers it is still very much an southern part of the country. London and the Home Counties account for nearly half of all

Among existing franchisors there are 78 per cent planning expansion. A third of franchisees are content with turnover achieved and nearly half are content with the profits.

it is not roses all the way There are 35 per cent of franchisees who felt they did not get enough initial help and 40 per cent complained about subsequent treatment although 65 per cent of franchisees said their working relationship with franchisors was satisfactory.

Chances of success with a well-proven formula are put as high as 98 per cent. It takes about two to three years for franchisces to reach optimum turnover targets.

• Franchising: The industry and the market (£295 from Power Research Associates, 17 Wigmore Street, London WI).

A tempting carrot for job-hungry towns

Job hungry towns jumped at the chance of enterprise zone status when applications for designation were invited by the Government. And initial success in tempting new industry to their areas with the carrots they are able to offer has stimulated

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Some councils are planning to ask for more land to be designated - four of the 25 enterprise zones in the UK have aiready been extended.

The aim of enterprise zones is to restore vigorous private sector activity by removing tax burdens and planning constraints. Concessions include exemption from rates on industrial and commercial property during a 10-year period from the date of enterprise zone designation; exemption from development land tax; and 100 per cent allowances against corporation and income tax for capital expenditure on industrial and commercial buildings. Enterprise zones are not part of regional policy but sites in areas attracting government or European aid continue to benefit from such subsidies.

Corby, the Northamptonshire steel closure town qualifying for EEC cash, has the additional advantage of being a development area and new town as well as having an enterprise zone. the first in England, designated in June, 1981. The 280 acre zone is now 90 per cent

An 8 per cent drop in steel town any more". unemployment over four years, against the national trend, and a healthy mix of manufacturing Towns, which has the unusual and service industries has role of acting as a development to offer.

but we do need more new jobs private enterprise. CNT manand they seem to coming, said ager Maurice Hart said that any land committed. Wellingbo-town with one massive em-rough borough council and MP and they seem to coming", said industry. "This year we have ployer should learn from Corby. Peter Fry pressed for enterprise



Peter Davies and John Lloyd: "We have to excite interest in the enterprise zone"

companies setting up. Outside been invested in Corby since the zone we have the British 1979. The town is keen to Institute of Management, who extend its enterprise zone. Pilkington Glass, Thankfully we are not just a

The Commission for the New increased confidence.

We have 4,000 people userking in the enterprise zone working in the enterprise zone agency, has just completed its 150th factory and more than 100 factories have been built by

had two Dutch companies, a "It is possible to diversify the Swedish company, two German base', he said.

An estimated £400m plus has companies satting up Outside

The most successful enterprise zones are in assisted areas, developed and helping to give Corby badly needed new jobs.

Oxford University Press and But another Northamptionshire British American Tobacco.

Thankfully the age and interest town, Wellingborough, has succeeded in attracting private investment to its enterprise zone, designated last year, with no other government subsidies

> Park Farm, a green field site zoned for industrial use for a number of years, already has 80 per cent of the development

zone designation of the land when the British Leyland foundry in the town closed in 1982 resulting in a job loss of

"It is still early days to see what the total effect of the enterprise zone will be on unemployment but we should get 1,500 jobs there in the next 12-18 months," said Bob Entwistle, director of development. "An enterprise zone is an incentive to the market rather than the market itself and still very much an experiment, Companies are attracted by the enterprise zone status but take in other factors. We have good communications, availability of labour of the right kind and leisure and recreational facili-

The newest enterprise zone to be designated is the Milford Haven Waterway, Two coun-cils, Preseli and South Pembroke, joined forces to apply for enterprise zone designation of 350 acres of land on both sides of a river estuary in a bid to create jobs in their high unemployment areas.

The designation of the zone, in April this year, raised eyebrows and nobody pretends that it is going to be easy to catch big fish. But it has happened before when oil refineries were built and the councils see no reason why it shouldn't happen again. The enterprise zone covers 13 separate sites but nobody is regarding that as unlucky.

recent Southampton boat show, The local authority, which is injecting £750,000 into the project, is encouraging marina related businesses and is delighted that a factory freezing sea foods is now planning to open a restaurant. A site for an hotel adjacent to the marina is about to be

Already, something exciting has happened. The Brunel Quay, an old railway terminus,

an eyesore site cleared with a

derelict land grant from the Weish Development Agency, is

being developed as a yachting

marina, Camper and Nicholson,

major marine operators, are investing £500,000 in the

venture which is scheduled to

Spirits rose when 100 book-

ings for berths were made at the

be operational next year.

marketed. For enterprise zone managers Peter Davies and John Lloyd, of Pembrokeshire Business Initiative, and enter-prise agency, this will provide a useful platform from which to market the enterprise zone. "What we have to do is to

excite interest in the enterprise 20ne," said John Lloyd, "Since development in the leisure field this is mainly what we are looking at. But we also have a port that is under used and we are pushing that aggressively as well."

Hurdles that have to be overcome are a swingeing 40p charge for crossing the short Cleddau Bridge from one side of the river to the other - MPs are pressing for abolition of estuary tolls - and a recently publicised green paper, not yet in the councils' hands, which allegedly proposed the axeing of the branch railway line to the new enterprise zone.

Cashing in on science

An upsurge of interest in university-linked science parks, based on an American concept at Stanford, California, Is narrowing the gap between academics and industrialists. Much of the initiative is being taken by universities who see science parks as a means of financing research and making a commercial use of land. There is an awareness, too, that a university has a major role to play in its local economy.

The comparatively new name tag for high tech research and application complexes in the

UK has prestige value and developers of industrial estates aiming at the high tech market sometimes describe their sites as science parks, regardless of whether they are geared to operating in conjunction with

The unit at Hull University, where Laser Monitoring Sys-tems was set up to sell products or research to finance further work, is one of the latest and the Surrey Research Park, where Grand Metropolitan Biotechnology is the first occupier, is being developed at Guildford linked with Surrey University. Cambridge Triaity was the first in the field and has a

highly successful science park.

VAT holiday Space is now available at the first of six designated freeports in the UK to be developed as commercial enterprises. The opening of 300,000 square feet at freeports of warehouse storage and land at Southampton docks and a

will apply only to goods stored

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Liverpool docks nearing com-

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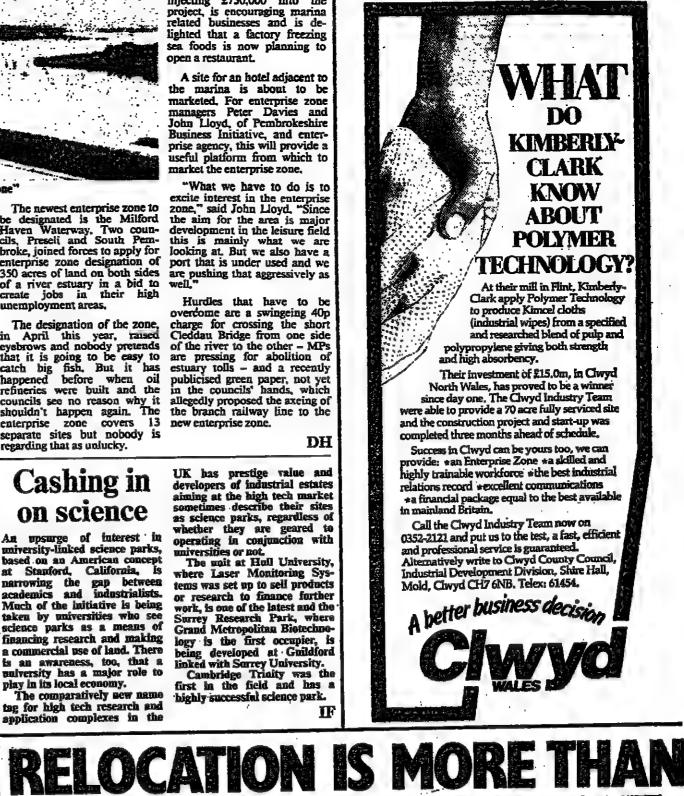
a proposal in this year's Budget to withdraw the system under which payment of VAT on imported goods could be delayed, book entry of VAT on

goods imported and re-exported

provides cash flow benefits.

at freeports.
Since only goods liable to customs duty can be stored in bonded warehouses, ruling out goods from the EEC, this is seen as a significant advantage for the new freeports.

On the remaining four sites at Belfast Airport, Birmingham Airport, Prestwick Airport and Cardiff, expected to be operational next spring, warehouses are likely to be developed to order in response to demand.



Midlanders invited to invest in themselves

Instead of wringing its hands at the perceived failure of the Government's regional policy to take into account the devastating effects of the economic recession on the once prosperous Black Country, the Labour-controlled West Mid-

lands county council is pursuing its own policy of self-help.

Prompted by the lack of industrial risk investment capital in the West Midlands, which has the second highest rate of unemployment in the UK, the council set up a development capital company in 1982 to help

revitalise the region's economy. The West Midlands Entergrant from the county council from cash levied on the rates, was the first venture of its kind. Now the board is about to loans at fixed interest rates. promote another - linking with the trade union financial instiaution, Unity Trust, which will be launching a regional investment bond early next year. The bond, bearing a commercial rate of interest, will give people the opportunity of investing in the industry of their own area.

The scheme, the first of its tind in Britain, will enable WMEB and Unity Trust, a new body jointly owned by the Cooperative Bank and 30 trade unions, to offer a complete investment package to West Midlands companies wanting to expand, diversify or restructure. Since it was formed, the WMEB has approved 24 investments in manufacturing companies resulting in the creation or saving of 2,000 jobs.

Exporting to Fifth Avenue

The board is not a source of subsidies or grants and invest-ments are made on full commercial but competitive terms. The aim is to provide no more than 50 per cent of new

of the companies assisted with investment have failed. But others are booming. E. R. Hammersley & Co. Cradley Heath-based manufacturers of men's overcoats, has increased its workforce by nearly 100 after capital injection by WMEB to up-date machin-ery. The company, which has also increased its exports - it supplies Saks of Fifth Avenue and Bloomingdales - is working towards USM listing in 1986.

A Birmingham precision engineering firm, buying most of its supplies in the West Midlands, has had a £500.000 investment package from WMEB to help buy machinery. Robin Corbett, MP for

Birmingham Erdington, where Hare Industries is based, visited the firm's Sparkbrook factory last month. While applauding the initiative of WMEB, Mr Corbett said that the enterprise board's contribution was like taking a spoon to get rid of a flood. But, he said, Hare Industries liked what the board was doing and with its help was able to go ahead with reinvestment and re-equipment. Like most other medium sized engineering factories, its machinery was out of date.

Mr Corbett is among an allparty group of Birmingham MPs which was this week seeing Norman Lamont, Minister of State for Industry, to press for special status to bring in EEC and government subsidies.

Irene Farnsworth

Small businesses encouraging the minister to think big

As well as normal bank sources both factory and office space on. of borrowings, there are around the market but small units, developments have been those 100 specialised sources of sometimes at rents lower than development and venture capi-tal now available to help new and developing businesses. The number of Business Expansion Scheme funds has now risen. above two dozen and David Trippier, Minister for Small Businesses, has indicated that these could be developed further, particularly on a more

There are tax relief benefits for those investing under the Business Expansion Scheme.

Banks are increasingly arranging special loans for newer businesses. National Westminster Bank recently notched up its ment loan, bringing the total caned under this scheme to £1.2 bn. These are long-term Sometimes a two year holiday from capital repayment is arranged, only the interest being paid during this period.

There is still a plethora of

the commercial average, are increasingly being supplied through local community efforts around the country, often the work of enterprise agencies or community projects. A recent scheme backed by BAT Industries, Britain's third largest company, has turned the

Low failure rate boosts local efforts

old Bon Marche store in Brixton into 65 workshops, 70 small retail outlets and offices for up to 80 small companies.

There have been cash contributions from both the Department of the Environment and the local Lambeth authority into the £3m development which is a non-profit making scheme offering short leases of as little as a month.

where groups of workshops or offices have in-house facilities to be called on, offering secretarial, accountancy and other specialised support literally down the corridor. Impressed by the low failure rates of small businesses in these 'sheitered" developments, Mr Trippier has been calling for The progressive reduction in

industrial building allowances could bring, some changes in industrial building - financing because particularly northern developments will become less attractive to those wanting to invest for tax shelter reasons, according to Robin Butler, a consultant with Colegrave Group, specialists in tax effective investment. He forecasts tax-shelter money will switch to enterprise zones some of which he believes have better prospects than others.



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	1st half year 1984	1st half year 1983
Turnover	1,393	1,166
Trading Profit	61.8	76.4
Current Profit Before Tax	26.5	50.1
Net Profit After Tax	31.0	56.0
Gross Margin In Autofinancing	96.9	91.3

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Arlington seeks full quote

By Judith Huntley

Business parks developer faces a test of its success in the West Midlands

Arlington Securities, the highly successful developer of British business parks, is to sell its talents to the public before too long. The company intends going for a full quotation on the stock market towards the end of next year, setting the seal on its rise to fame, and presumably fortune, in the field of highechnology development.

The company has made its name by building that hybrid of development, the quality industrial building with a high office content in the favoured south of the country.
Now it is turning its attention

to an area most property men have shunned in the recent past - the West Midlands. Arlington, in conjunction with the Hayward Group, a local developer, is awaiting the outcome of a decision by the Secretary of State for the Environment as to whether a large site next to the National Exhibition Centre, near Birmingham, will be rezoned for high technology

If it is, Arlington through its

institutional contacts, will have the job of mising the money to finance the development. The land element will be contribnted by Hayward and both partners in the scheme will have a 50 per cent stake in the development. One of Arlington's 30 institutional shareholders, possibly the Philip Hill Investment Trust, will be asked to back the project.

Arlington's proven track record in the field of high technology devolpment attechnology devolpment at-tracted Hayward to join with the company and the prospect of getting one of the best sites in the West Midlands for a new scheme must have appealed to Arlington, Arlington's US connexions

and those of Strutt & Parker, which advises the company on its developments, are also being called in to play on the West Midlands proposal. Hayward is hoping to get one or two US computer companies to establish themselves on the site and Arlington's success in doing this elsewhere will be invaluable.

But if Arlungton's success is now well established, it has not always been that way. The funding institutions which are now prepared to back high-technology development, were ex-tremely wary of the idea

director, Mr Patrick Vanghan, an ex-Singer & Friedlander man, admits that the first phase of the Globe Park development in Martow, Buckinghamshire, started life as a conventional industrial estate. It was a joint venture with Globe Investment Trust which came in with Arlington in 1980, at the same time as the Allied Electra Trust, both among its largest insti-tutional shareholders.

However, it became apparent that the market wanted more than just a standard industrial shed and Arlington took the advice of Strutt & Parker in raising the office content at Globe Park and improving the quality of the buildings. The policy paid off. Rank Xerox is building a 250,000 sq ft headquarters at Globe Park and Arlington has just sold a 2.8 cre site there to let Volvo at a healthy £1m an acre.

As Mr Raymond Mould, Arlington's managing director, points out, the speed of take-up at Globe Park is an endorsement of the approach to development which made the institutions nervous even three years ago. He and Mr Vaughan, who have been working together since 1969 and at Arlington since 1976, are advocates of proper market research into what the cus-

tomers want, In this instance, the customers are potential tenants in the communications industries

building in surroundings their staff and management like. Low density is a prerequisite for a good business park exemplified by the company's scheme at Newbury, Berkshire, which has its initial £12.5m phases funded by PosTel. The same philosophy applies to its Solent Business Park in Fareham, Hampshire, where up to 2 million so ft of space is to be built on 150 acres.

Arlington is also developing a mixed commercial and leisure complex including a marina, in Portsmouth's North Harbour. It is the first leisure scheme the company has done but Mr Vaughan argues that the creation of an attractive environment will be enough to lure housebuyers, retailers and tenanis for the planned 100,000 sq fl of offices.

Some of these large developments will be coming on stream over the next 18 months so Arlington will be coming to the market before they reach fruition. But its earlier success should make it attractive.

The company had a private placing of shares last November through its advisers, Morgan Grenfell, the merchant bank, and de Zoete & Bevan, the stockbroker, which valued the companyy at more than £13.5m. The same firms will be responsible for floating Arling ton next year but the company is keeping quiet about how

Developer close to a shopping coup

 Cameron Hall Developments, the Typeside developer building The Metro Centre in the Gateshead enterprise zone, could well have pulled off a coup. The company is close to signing up Marks and Spencer for a 150,000 sq ft out of town store. If it succeeds Cameron Hall will have pre-let Metro Centre. It has already re-let 150,000 sq ft to

more than 250,000 sq ft in The Carrefour Ia the £50m, 750,000 sq ft shopping and leisure complex. The Metro Centre Talks are underway with M & S, for a new style store in line with the company's Intention of developing larger

omputers in such a store. Mr John Hall, the chairman and managing director of Cameron Hall, says he has

stores out of town. It looks as if

M & S will venture into flat

pack furniture and even home

already sold the Carrefour development as an investment on the leasing market and the aim would be to do the same with the M & S store.

The fact that The Metro Centre is in an enterprise zone means that the developer can take noventage of the 100 per cent capital allowances,

Hill Samuel Property Management has come out with interesting findings on the relative performance of the different property sectors. Its latest method of analysing property shows that in the 15year term, industrial property in general and in the South-cast in particular, will show the highest real returns over any other property investment, including today's most sought after investment, retailing.

Mr Anthony Gaitskell, the managing director, has devised a way of assessing property

performance up to 15 years ahead taking into account the likely depreciation of the property, its initial yield, the level of inflation and the real

The result of this analysis on

Hill Samuel's £200m portfolio of managed property shows real yield overall is 5.26 per cent at the end of 15 years with industrial property in the South- east achieving the highest return at 6.5 per cent and industrial property in the rest of the country reaching 6.4 per cent. The office sector returned only 4.3 per cent outside the south-east with offices in this favoured area showing a 4.37 per cent real

 The cost of occupying offices in New York has outstripped those in the City of London for the first time. The latest survey of international

office rents and occupation costs by Weatherall Green & Smith reveals New York as the most expensive area in which to have offices. However the firm points out that 20 per cent of the 60 per cent rise in total costs in midlown New York is due to the strength of the dollar. Overall costs in Paris are now haif those in London.

 Another battle on the retail front looks likely in Stevenage, Hertfordshire. Greycoat
Shopping Developments has
been given planning permission
for a 73,000 sq ft retail scheme
at Westgate in the town centre.
But on a site cheek by jowl with
the Greycoat scheme, Trafalgar House Properties is planning an

even larger shopping centre.
The Town Centre North plan
as the THP scheme is known,
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The Directors are pleased to announce that profits earned in the six months to 31st October, 1984 were substantially higher than in the comparable period in 1983.

Interest rates were volatile and market conditions difficult, but the swing in base rates of five percentage points provided ample opportunities for active trading

Prospects for the second half of the year at present look favourable, although markets are likely to remain

unsettled. Our new wholly-owned subsidiary, Cater Allen Bank (Jersey) Limited, has opened for business and we are very pleased to have this opportunity to develop our

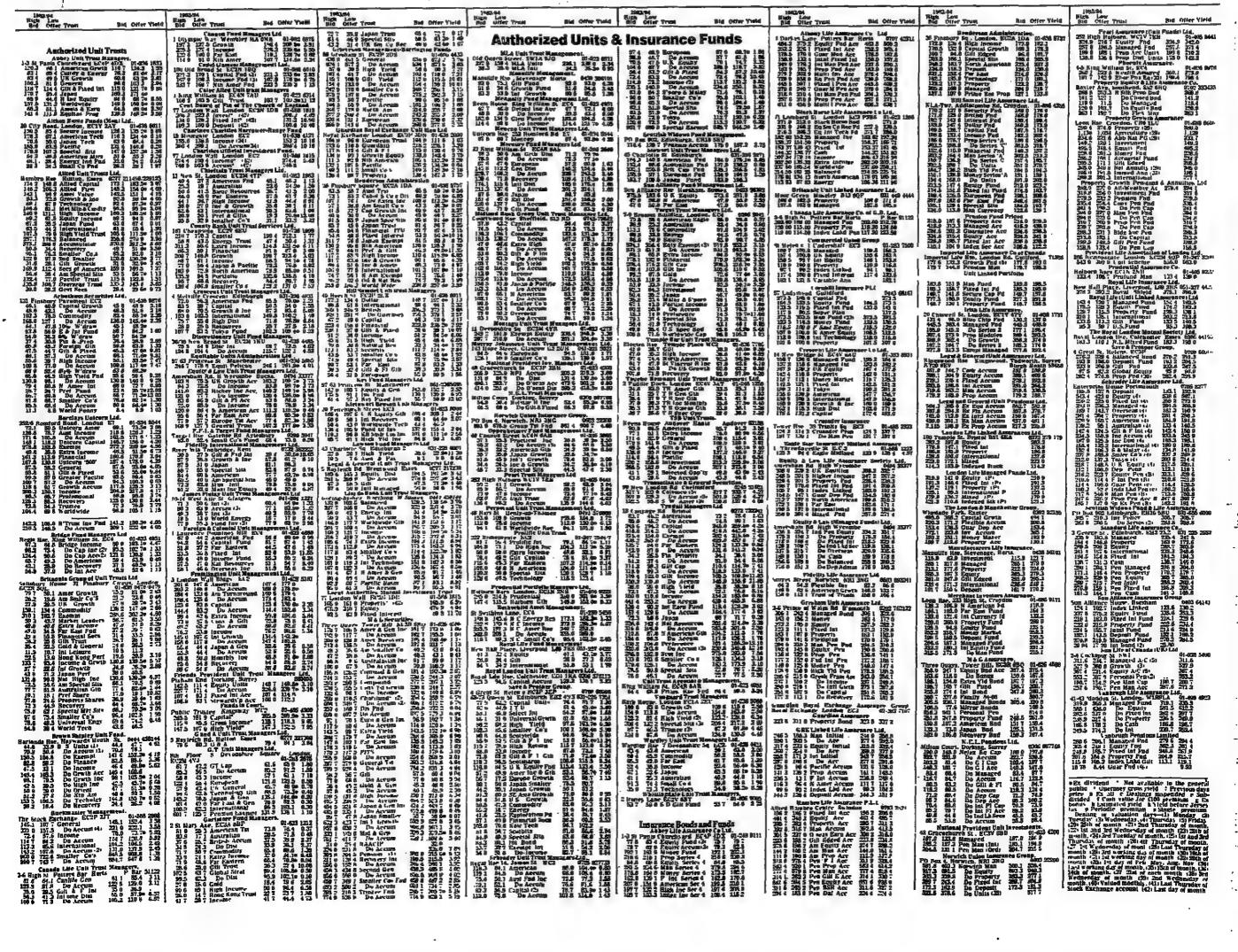
activities in the Channel Islands. The Board has declared an interim dividend of 8p per £1 ordinary share (1983: 8p) on the capital as increased by the 1 for 3 rights issue in July. The

shareholders registered at close of business on 6th December, 1984. Cater Allen Holdings PLC

dividend will be paid on 4th January, 1985 to those

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New York (Agencies) - Prices

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gained 14.91 to 1,244.15 on

Tuesday, was down 59.96 to 1,238.18 shortly after the

ing - accompanied not only by wives but by children, too.

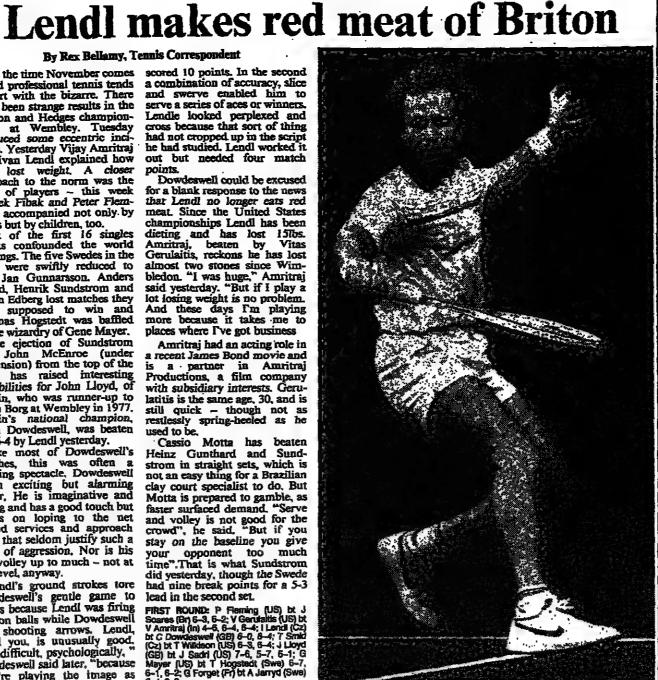
Six of the first 16 singles results confounded the world rankings. The five Swedes in the draw were swiftly reduced to one, Jan Gunnarsson, Anders Jarryd, Henrik Sundstrom and Stefan Edberg lost matches they were supposed to win and
Thomas Hogstedt was baffled
by the wizardry of Gene Mayer.
The ejection of Sundstrom
and John McEnroe (under

suspension) from the top of the draw has raised interesting possibilities for John Lloyd, of Britain, who was runner-up to Bjorn Borg at Wembley in 1977, Britain's national champion, Colin Dowdeswell, was beaten 6-0, 6-4 by Lendl yesterday. Like most of Dowdeswell's

matches, this was often a startling spectacle. Dowdeswell is an exciting but alarming player. He is imaginative and daring and has a good touch but insists on loping to the net behind services and approach shots that seldom justify such a show of aggression. Nor is his first volley up to much - not at

Lendi's ground strokes tore Dowdeswell's gentle game to pieces because Lendi was firing cannon balls while Dowdeswell was shooting arrows. Lendl, mind you, is unusually good. "It's difficult, psychologically," Dowdeswell said later, "because your're playing the image as

In the first set Dowdeswell



Gerulaitis still quick on his feet. (Photograph: Chris Cole)

RUGBY UNION: DISMISSED PAIR AWAIT PUNISHMENT

against Wallabies

will neet the touring party again the following Saturday in Munster's colours at Thomond Park, Limerick, (David Hands writes). They will be joined by a sixth international not unknown to the Australians. Ward, the St Mary's College stand-off half who scored 11 of Minster's 15 points against the 1981

Munster won that match 15-6 Munster won that match 15-6 and six players have survived, among them have the uncapped hooker Derham, who scored Munster's try. But, like their Leinster colleagues, Munster are undergoing a period of change, after their mixed fortunes in the interprovincial match against Connacht they have dropped their captain, O'Leary, the back row forward, and McLoughlin, the international prop forward who went to New Zealand in 1983 as a replacement for the in 1983 as a replacement for the

The captaincy passes to Fina in the centre who has with him in the back division Kleman and Bradley. both of whom will be at Lansdowne Road on Saturday. Though Munster have been noted in the past for tearaway forward play, the quality of their back division should stretch the Australian defence.

in particular, it will be an opportunity for Ward to offer further evidence of his talents to the national selectors. Should Ireland lose to Australia then both Ulster and Munster will have points to make in the two succeeding games make in the two succeeding games and none more strongly than Ward whose club colleagues Dean, though normally a centre for St Mary's College, was picked ahead of him as

Ward has won 16 caps for his country, the latest of them against Scotland last March when he left the ield injured after 25 minutes while the Scots were marching to the triple crown. He was among the Munster party which made a successful raid on England in September, losing to Surrey but beating London Irish and

London Irish themselves have a representative in the side to play Australia in the shape of Hennessy, the prop forward who also played in the game three years ago.

MUNISTER: J Barry (Constitution); E O'Sullivari (Sarryowen), M Kiernan (Lanadowna), M Finn (Constitution, Casa), D Ahern (St Marry's College); A Ward (St Marry's College), M Bradiey (Constitution); T Hennessy (London Irish), D Derhem (Constitution), T Muricary (Bohemlane), W Saxdon (Garryowen), D Lardhan (Constitution), M Moyfett (Shannon), P O'Hera (Sunday's Well), P Collins (Hightleid).

IN BRIEF

Kelly's appeal

against penalty

is turned down Brussels (APF) - Sean Kelly has

Brussels (APF) - Sean Kelly has lost an appeal aganinst disqualification from this year's Paris to Brussels race on the grounds that he failed a dope test. The Irish rider, who won the Pernod Trophy, the unofficial world chempionship, after winning 32 races this year, denied he had taken unauthorised drugs and said that the testing procedure was not carried out

procedure was not carried out

procedure was not carried out correctly.

The Belgian Cycling League said here yesterday that the arguments put forward by the Irish Federation on Kelly's behalf were not substantiated. As well as losing his third place in the results of the one-day classic, Kellly must pay a fine of \$480.

HOCKEY: As the World Cup will be staged in London in 1986 the

organizing board, under the chair-manship of Phil Appleyard, will also be given the responsibility for running the international tourna-ment at the National Hockey Centre, Willesden, in October 1985.

The international match organiza-tion committee, which has run

international Flockey in London for many years, has therefore been disbanded by the Hockey Associ-

Ward back Wheeler hits at ban but backs referee

By David Hands, Rugby Correspondent player in one of the home countries could go 15 years without a dismissal then serve a double punishment while another might be sent off three times in five years yet

Peter Wheeler, the former England captain, suffers the automatic 30-day suspension imposed on any player sent off during a club game in England after the incident in the match between the Midland Whiteleast the Australians of the in the matter perween the Middland Division and the Australians at his club, Leicester, on Thesday evening when he and Mark McBain, the touring side's hooker, were both dismissed.

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dismissed.

A disciplinary consisting of "Chilla" Wilson, the Australian manager, Ronnie Dawson (Ireland), and George Burrell (Scotland), will adjudicate on the case in Dublia today, and both players may attend the hearing if they wish. I imagine their main interest will be McBain since Wheeler, who had not appropriate been controlled to 15 week. previously been sent off in a 15-year first-class career covering 41 capt for England, faces a statutory

or the cour management will be disturbed at having no cover is a apecialist position for Asstralia's international with Ireland on Saturday. The committee can hardly fail to suspend the 25-year-old Queensland hooker, the decision that many many transmittees are properties. they must make is for how many

The two players had been warned by the Welsh international panel referes Winston Jones in the first half of the game for fighting. When McBain obstructed Wheeler at the front of a line-out with 11 minutes of the game left and the Leicester hooker retailiated, Mr Jones had no option but to send them off and Wheeler, at the nost-match recre-Wheeler, at the post-match recep-tion, paid public tribute to the

He also expressed sadness at the rating which prevents England from considering players sent off at any level for the remainder of the season. It was, he said, inequitable that a

Mullin capped by Ireland

Brendan Mullin, the University College, Dublin centre, will win his first cap for Ireland on Saturday, against Australia in Dublin, Mullin, aged 22, replaces Kiernan, who switches to the wing for Crossan, who withdrew yesterday suffering from gastro-enteritis. The IRFU confirmed yesterday

that Fiji will play three matches in Ireland next autumn. A full international has been arranged for Saturday, October 19, at Lansdowne Road, and the Fijians will then meet Ulster at Raven Hill on October 23, and Connacht in Galway on October 26.

BASKETBALL

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NATIONAL LEAGUE: Houston Flockets 108, Kureau City Kings 94; Dallan Mevericks 107, New York Kricks 104; San Antonio Spars 98, Seattle Supersonics 91; Denwer Nuggets 146, Los Angeles Lakars 130; Portland Trad Blacers 116, Phoenix Suns 99.

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ICE HOCKEY
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VOLLEYBALL

TOKYO: Japan Cap (meet: United States bt South Kores 18-10, 16-6, 16-6; Soviet Union bt Bulgaria 15-11, 15-7, 15-4; Poland bt Mexico 15-4, 15-7, 12-15, 15-12; Japan bt China 15-10, 9-15, 15-13, 15-6.

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ton 8, Woodford Wells 2; La

Coventry get boost from Brain

replacement for England at Twick-enham last Saturday, returns for Coventry who meet Northampton in a Midland merit table match at sent off three times in five years yet still be selected by his country.

Richard Greenwood, England's coach, who is already deprived of the services of Balmbridge, the Fylde lock for the same reason, has expressed the personal view that every sending off should be looked at individually, rather than the imposition of an immediate month's suspension. Certainly there are cases where an injustice is done but, for the long-term good of the game's Coundon Road on Saturday, Cobentry, beaten in three of their five merit matches so far, need to win two of their three remaining fixtures to avoid having to qualify for the third round of next season? John Player Cup.

Moseley, who have won seven of their last eight games, make four changes from the side that beat for the long-term good of the game's image. England are right in principle. Where they are wrong is in failing to obtain a quadrangular agreement with the other home countries because, as things stand. Newport last weekend for the visit to London Welsh. John Davidson the lock, is dropped for the first time this season with Al Recardo taking rested before the Midlands match against the Australians, returns on the wing: Steve McGee comes in at prop in place of Mark Linnett, who is on county duty with Warwick-shire and George Sey replaces Bob At a more parochial level, Wheeler's chief regret was that his departure was probably the turning point he a game which the Midlands, Barr at wing forward.

London Welsh make three changes, one positional. Tim Jones the prop is a replacement for Wales B against France B and Bruce Bradley switches to loose-head with Julian Davies taking over at tight-head. Stuart Russell, the flanker, has suffered a recurrence of a back injury and his place goes to Matthew Watkins.

Leicester are virtually at full-strength for the visit of Cambridge University to Welford Road, Barry Evans, Clive Woodward, Les Cusworth and Nick Youngs return

Wasps have 23 players unavailable, either through injury or on county duty, for the visit to Saracens. Saracens are also missing several senior players, so the match is no longer of merit table status.

Australia recall Roche

By David Hands

Chris Roche a first choice in Australia's back row against New Zealand in the summer but omitted against England at Twickenham last Saturday, will win his fourteenth cap against Ireland at Lansdowne Road this Saturday. He replaced Codey in the side which beat England 19-3 and Burke plays on the left wing in place of Moon, who

at 18-9 shead, seemed to have in

Roche, aged 26, gave way to Codey as much on grounds of sheer physique as everything else. But the tour management, feeling that the Irish will present a different

problem and a more mobile one, have recalled the 5ft 10in Queen-sland flanker to help in the hounding of an Irish back division equipped to run the ball

McBain, the hooker sent off on Tuesday, has been included amon the replacements, pending today disciplinary hearing. This suggest that the tour management hope he will escape with a caution:

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RUGBY UNION: The Weish selectors were concerned yesterday, when the second row, David Walters, took a knock on his right knee during a Wales B team training period at the National Ground, Cardiff. Wales B play France B at Newport on Saturday. Later the chairman of selectors, Rod Morgan, announced the injury was giving little cause for concern.

SQUASH RACKETS: Christy Willstrop, the England number nine, had a game awarded against him for constant arguing with the referee on Tuesday night. Willstrop, the Redwood Lodge number one, was in trouble for querying the decisions of referee Vernon Rogers in his American Express Premier League match against David Lloyd, of Edghaston Priory.

Yawn of the year inclines Bruno towards Europe

By Srikumar Sen, Boxing Correspon

The show at the Albert Hall on uesday was not the worst that the Tuesday was not the worst that the Kensington venue has seen; that honour belongs to the night some years ago when the horizontal Mexicans came here and Mike Barrett, the promoter, wished he had a hat and beard to make his exit

had a hat and beard to make his exit from the hall.

But after the inept showing by Jeff Jordan, a medical student from Columbus, Ohio, who lasted only two rounds and a half against Frank Bruno and landed only one punch more than did Ron Warrior, of Tulsa which was none in the main Tulsa, which was none, in the main supporting bout against Nick Wilshire, and after Tony Adams, a contender for the British light-welterweight title, boxed six two-minute rounds against Les Remike, of ester, roped in at one o'clo the same day, and after Kelvin Smart was sent into retirement through a second-round knockout by Ivor The Engine Jones, and after an undercard bout had been called

an undercard bout had been called off, it looked pretty certain that the show was beading at least for the yawn of the year title.

And after all that I had expected Barrett to be heading for the hills, the Malvern Hills, Box Hill, even Telegraph Hill, if need be, But no. He was sitting in his Soho office on his high horse and shooting from the hip. "It's all very well for you people to be wise after the event", he said. "I saw those two people (two Sunday paper men) who had (two Sunday paper men) who had come to do a hatchet job. No. I don't think Jordan was inept. He was a brave and honest trier, I take my hat off to him. He was no worse than some of Bruno's past.

added. "He showed us some nev

dously."

The left hook was certainly new and effective, but really anyone can look good against a punch bag. Jordan's pathetic performance gave the troops little to sing about. For the first time the faithful booed the

Clearly the situation is not to the liking of Bruno's connexions, even if the fans keep shelling out good money. So it was not surprising to hear Barrett say that there was a good chance of Bruno challenging the winner of the bout between Lucien Rodriguez, of France, and Stefan Tangstad, of Norway, for the European title.

That step has its dangers, for if Bruno becomes champion, and he

Bruno becomes champion, and he should, he will be more vulnerable anomo, he will be more varietable as the standard of his opponents will have to square with his status. But then a quick world title challenge could net in the millions, and that is what it is all about. "The European title fight will almost certainly come here," Barrett said, "We would not be outbid by anyone." Bruno and Lawless leave today for Copenhagen to see the European title bout

As for Warrior's non-performance against Wilshire, Barrett was speechless. "He had good credentials. He gave Minchillo a good fight. That's why I lost my temper with him. I told him that if I'd been the ref I'd have disqualified him. I told his trainer, Bobby Ritz, "Your fighter can't spell fight, if I had my way I would not pay him a penny. No wonder the Southern Area Council wanted to talk about it at

McGuigan date rejected

Barry McGaigan's European featherweight title defence at the Albert Hall, as announced by McGaigan himself at the British Boxing Board of Control's awards luch last week, may not now go sheed.

The Southern Area Council considered Mike Barrett's application to stage the show yesterday and decided to reject it as the date clashed with the Frank Warren promotion at Alexandra Pavilioa, where Marvis Frazier makes his British debut against Funso and Terry Marsh takes on Peter Eubanks, the only man to have beaten McGuigan.

Barrett, who claimed yesterday that he was not privy to the BBC's plans to announce the date through McGulgan at the board lunch, said he would appeal against the Southern Area Council's decision. "I have asked the board secretary, Ray Charlet to success westing with

have asked the board secretary. Ray Clarke, to arrange a meeting with the appeal stewards as fast as possible." Barrett said.

Warren was delighted with the decision," I am sure the Southern Area Council have done the right thing by boxing and television. It can only be for the good of the sport. You cannot have two his shows on You cannot have two big shows on the same day. It's like Arsenal and Tottenham both playing at hos





Squaring up: Barrett (left) and Warren

Canada undefeated

Canada completed their British tour undefeated after beating Scotland 7-4 at Falkirk. Scotland's weakness at the heavier weights was exposed by the classic Canadians who had earlier drawn 6-6 with England and beaten Wales 6-2. The Scots were level 3-3 at the

interval thanks to excellent points victories from the light-flyweight Drew Docherty, bantamweight David Anderson and Drew Black at light-weiterweight. However, after the break Danny Petrie, from Dundee, lasted only 30 seconds before being knocked out

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ICE HOCKEY Chaplain's

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Pittsburgh. (AP) - The Rev James Armstrong can trade his priestly collar and surplice for a

priestly collar and surplice for a referee's whistle and striped shirt with out changing his vocation. The associate pastor of St. Francis Navier Roman Chatholic Church in Pittsburgh, he officiates at amateur and uninor league ice hockey games and Armstrong is starting his eighth year at chaplain for National Hockey League referees.

"I'm there for support. I'm a buffer. I'm somebody they know they can talk to. Hockey officials don't travel as a team. They don't have home games. There's nobody in the arena rooting for them," Armstrong said in a recent interview. "They, like everbody else, have problems. My job is not to be a supervisor. They know they can come to me for an unbiased opinion. Even if they're not Catholic, they know they can call me." Armstrong, is known around the League as "The Under White!" is known around the League as "The Hockey Priest."

Armstrong, aged 34, was ordained seven years ago. He has been a hockey referee for 16 years and was co-founder of the Western Pennsylvania Hockey Officials Associ-ation. "I don't think there's ation. "I don't think there's anything contradictory about a priest being involved in hockey," he said. "There may be violence in hockey, but that doesn't mean that's the purpose of the game. The 'essence of the game is to put the puck in the net."

The National Hockey League chaplain does not get paid for his work. All of the officials have his phone number, and Armstrong attends as many games as he can at the Civic Areana, where the Pittsburgh Pengains play. As part of his duties, he has performed baptisms and officiated at weddings for playtage fife Pandy Carlyla for players like Randy Carlyle, now with the Winnipeg Jets.

The NHL and their officials are glad to have him around. "Most of the trans in the League have a chaplain, so I thought it would be a good idea for the referees to have one too.

when he and another priest, both wearing their collars, escorted Hood from a hostile crowd in Pittsburgh's Civic Arena. "One woman was particularly nasty and called him a name. So I just said, "God bless you, sister, and she drifted back into the crowd. Referees are tough people, and they can take care of themselves. But we figured a little psychology couldn't hart", the priest said.

TABLE TENNIS

Brothers on the up and up

brothers from Reading aged 15 years and 14 respectively, make spectscular leaps into the new English rankings issued yesterday. Andrew, who beat both the England No. 2, Graham Sandley and the former European champion John Hilton in the Humberside three star tournament, riscs 23 places to number 10 and Matthew 39 places to number 56. The winner of the Humberside event. Phi Bradbury, a 20-year-old from Reading who narrowly missed making England's European cham-pionship team in Moscow earlier this year, tises five places

Desmond Douglas, the seventimes national champion, maintains his place at the top, as does Alison Gordon, the other national cham-pion in the women's list. But Joy Grundy, the Lancastrian left-hander who beat Miss Gordon to win the Humberdside event, climbs up one place to number two

ENGLISH RANKINGS: MER: 1. D Douglas; 2. G Sandley; 3. P Bradbury; 4. C Frear; 5. A Cooks; 6. D Welst; 7. S Andrew; 8. K Jackson; 9. N Mason; 10. A Syed. WOMER: 1. A Gordon; 2. J Grundy; 3. Writ; 4. L Befinger; 5. J Befinger; 6. M Seinsbury; 7 K Smith; 8 F Bilot; 9. J Harris, 10, S Sendley.

RACKETS

Overawed by underhand

William Boone and Tom Pugh (Eton I) beat Miles Connell and Tim (Eton I) beat Miles Connell and Tim Shaw (Tonbridge III) by 15-4, 15-0, 15-4 in the Noel Bruce Cup at Queen's Club yesterday (William Stephens writes). Pugh, aged 47, was in the winning pair from 1962 until 1965 – three times with James Leonard and once with David Norman. Yesterday he used to telling effect the underhand foul cutservice which bemused his opponents. Connell need 46, with ponents. Connell, aged 46, with Peter Rylands, won the public schools doubles for Tonbridge in 1957 for the first time.

Roche to Honda

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Paris (AFP) - Raymond Roche, third in the \$00cc motorcycling world championships this year, will no longer ride for Honda, the Japanese constructor's French representative said here yesterday. The French rider is expected to sign for another Japanese team, Yama-

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FOOTBALL: MCNEILL'S SLEEPING GIANTS SOUND A MILK CUP WARNING







Maine men: McCarthy (centre) who misses Manchester City's fourth-round tie at Chelsea, is flanked by club colleagues Cunningham (left) and Kinsey, who scored in the Milk Cup win over West Ham United

Rangers go out on away goals

Queen's Park Rangers were surprisingly knocked out of the UEFA cup yesterday, despite going into their second-leg game with Partizan Belgrade with a four-goal advantage after winning the home

Partizan won 4-0 yesterday, to bring the aggregate scores level at 6-6, but their two away goals at Highbury two weeks ago saw them through to the third round. Rangers, who were 2-0 down at half-time, fell to two goals from

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Zivkovic, a penalty by Kalicanin and a goal from Jesic.

Bayera Mualch reached the quarter-finals of the European Cup Winner's Cup for the second time in winger's Cup for the second time in three years, despite losing their second round second leg match 2-0 to Trakia Plovdiv in Bulgaria. The West German club qualified on a 4-3 aggregate, having won the first leg

Pashev (38 min) and Kostadinov (5) min, penalty) scored for Ploydiv, but the home side could not get a third goal, which would have put them through at Bayera's

nationals, Gavrilov (26 min) and Rodionov (47 min) put Spartak Moscow into the last 16 of the VIEFA Cup for the third successive year. Spartak's 2-0 victory over Lok Lelpzig made it 3-1 on aggregate. The first leg in Leipzig ended 1-1.

Melrose opts for **Maine Road**

Jim Melrose yesterday completed a £40,000 move to Manchester City from Celtic after a two-month loan period with Wolverhampton Wan-

period with Wolverhampton Wanderers, for whom he scored four goals in his last four games.

Melrose, who could make his debut for City against Birmingham at Maine Road on Saturday, said:

"The only regret 1 have about leaving Wolves is leaving Tommy Docherty. He was a brilliant manager, totally different from any others I've played for." Others I've played for."

Penrith, the non-league club, will have to play their FA Cup first round tie against Burnley at home. Penrith applied to the FA for the game on November 17 to be switched to Turf Moor on safety grounds. Under FA rules, however, a game can only be switched if local police feel unable to handle any crowd troubles, and Cumbria police have given an assurance that they will be able to cope.

Council backing

Northampton Town will be sponsored for the rest of this season by Northampton Borough Council.
The deal is worth £2,500. Dave
Bowen, the club secretary, said:
"The amount may seem small but it
means a great deal to us. Not only is it a help financially but it forges a link between the club and the local authority."

NASL set to hang up its boots

Contrary to a noted national characteristic, the North American Soccer League is thinking small – so small, in fact, as to be virtually invisible to the professional sports enthusiast in the United States.

Responsible for introducing cheerleaders and Astroturf burns, and for the reincarnation of the world's elderly soccer stars, like Pele, Cruyff and Best, the 18year-old league has imploded to a point where only four clubs are willing to struggle on to next season, with Vancouver Whitecaps the latest club to fold.

Of the quartet which remain, the New York Cosmos and Minnesota Strikers want to experiment with indoor soccer, Tampa Bay Rowdies (now coached by Roduey Marsh) are financially shaky, and only Toronto Blizzard appear truly keen and committed. On top of that, two weeks ago the NASL lost its president, Howard Samuels, who died of a heart attack. The odds are now severely stacked against the league carrying on at all.

Even if it lives to fight another season the new micro league could suffer an

Tekin from the squad named to face Finland last week and replaced them with the full back Yusuf Ahintas, the forward Tuncay Soyak and the midfield player Ahmet

The choice of Altintas, out of the game for almost three months with

game for almost three months with a knee injury, drew criticism yesterday from the Turkish press, who cast doubts on his ability. Keloglu, who played for the Dutch team Den Haag before returning to Turkey two years ago, has a poor season last year with Galatasaray, of Istanbul, but is faring better with his new team. Kocaelispor.

new scam, socaelispor.

The former West German national manager, Jupp Derwall, now with Galatasaray and advising Turkey's national side, was quoted by the daily Cumhuriyet as saying England were capable of bearing and

new team, Kocaelispor.

Kelogiyu.

furkey to bring in

three newcomers

Instanbul (Reuter) - Turkey have drafted three new players into their 18-man squad for the World Cup group squad for the World Cup group

18-man squad for the World Cup European group three qualifying match against England here next Wednesday, following a demoralizing 2-1 defeat by Finland.

The team manager, Candan Tarhan, has dropped Muharrem Gurbuz, Erolk Dinler and Metin Tekin from the squad named to face Finland last week and replaced them with the full back Yusuf Ahintas, the forward Tuncay Soyak

Alintas, the forward Tuncay Soyak

squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the World Cup group three qualifying match against Northern Ireland at Windsor Park Kuusela will add Ari Valvee to the 15-man squad for the windsor Park Windsor Park

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Mariner was due to test the hamstring injury which has kept him out of the Arsenal team and also led to his withdrawal from the England squad that beat Finland on October 17

Mexicans cheap seats

Mexico City (AFP) - Tickets for the World Cup finals in Mexico (£2.40) will be set aside for from May 31 to June 29, 1986 will go on sale from February 1 next year, Guillermo Canedo, president of the organizing committee, said here vesterday.

there yesterday.

The tickets, sold through travel agents, will not be for single matches but will guarantee entry to a group of committee and FIFA.

identity problem: many people think it is already dead.

At least this year's best-of-three-

Sue Mott reports on four teams still trying to realize an American dream

matches Soccer Bowl series, in which Chicago Sting beat Toronto by two games to nil, provoked a slight twitch in the old carcass, but pessimists note that the Sting's next move will be a permanent switch to indoor football.

They are not the only defectors. The San Diego Sockers are jumping to the rival Major Indoor Soccer League, adding insult to injury by taking with them the NASL's Player of the Year, Steve Ungal, a Yugoslav draft dodger with a prolific goalscoring touch.

Crowds have become pitifully small -5,000 at two of this year's play-off semi-finals - and big-name stars now rarely twinkie in a firmanent that can only afford, cheap no-nonsense Americans.

An estimated 10 million schoolboys and girls spend their leisure hours kicking about on the local village Astroturf, but as the owner of the Chicago Sting, Lee Stern, once observed: "Twelve-year olds can't drive."

Instead it is the adults, the car drivers and potential ticket buyers, who have been miserably unresponsive to football's propaganda, which originally labelled it "The Sport of the Seventies" to the pique and mirth of the established American football, baseball and basketball fraternities. That catch-phrase had to be hastily readjusted to "The Sport of the Eighties" as the post-Pele renaissance failed to materialize ... and now wags are suggest-ing "The Sport of the Twenty-First Century" as a safer bet.

But Americans are nothing if not optimistic salesmen. "The game is going to come back. It's going to happen," said the Welshman Phil Woosnam, the former NASL commissioner who co-founded the league and now runs a football marketing

The latest hopes for a revival hinge on 1994, when the World Cup finals are due to be played somewhere on the American continent. Dr Henry Kissinger has been appointed the head of the United States committee which will lobby for the privilege of playing host.

Gerry Daly (above) is out of the Republic of Ireland squad for next Wednesday's World Cup game against Denmurk in Copenhagen. The Birmingham City midfielder has a broken toe. John Devine, of Norwich City, withdrew from the squad

Replay win earns City new capital interest

Manchester City are hoping to claim another London club scalp after their Milk Cup third-round replay win over West Ham United at Upton Park on Tuesday night. City with a well deserved 2-1 win. now visit Chelses - 3-0 winners against Walsall — with Billy McNeill, their manager enthusing "that was the best result we have had in my time with the club. We have shown the level we can reach and it was very good for the younger lads. Now we have got to do it

The Main Road club surprises their first division opponents with goals by Tony Cunningham and Steve Kinsey. Steve Whitton scored for West Ham, City will be without Mick McCarthy, their central defender, for the tie against Chelsea on November 21, McCarthy, who has a three-match suspension for exceeding 20 penalty points, will also miss League matches against Sheffield United and Portsmouth.

Chelsea, in confident form at present, had no trouble against Walsall, of the third division, who were dissappointed to see a fourth-minute effort by Craig Shakespeare disallowed. Afterwards Jan McNeill, the London side's assistant manager, said: "I have a sneaking feeling we shall win the cup this season". Kerry Dixon, with his

thirteenth goal of the season, was one of the Chelsea scorers. It was not such a happy night for Nottingham Forest, who went down to a Howard Gayle goal for Sunderland in extra time at Roke Sunderland in extra time at Roker Park. Forest had battled without their 18-year-old forward Paul Raynor, who was sent of after 52 minutes, following a clash with Gary Bennett, Sunderland now face Tottenham Hotspur in the next

Norwich City had no trouble with Norwich City had no trouble with fourth division opposition, winning 4-0 at Aldershot, Mike Channon was among the scorers, with the 298th goal of his career, Aldershot are in the midst of another tussle, with a consortium including Rou Harris, the former Chelsea defender, bidding to oust Reg Driver, the club chairman

Norwich are at home to Notts
County in the next round, while
Southampton, 2-0 winners at
Wolverhampton Wanderers, with
Joe Jordan scoring with the last kick of the game, entertain Queen's Park

ingers. Crystal Palace held on for a 2-2 Crystal Palace held on for a 2-2 draw in their second division game against Shrewsbury Town, despite playing for 55 minutes without goalkeeper George Wood, who needed five stitches in a cut leg. Bolton Wanderers forward George Oghani hit his fourteenth goal of the season as York City, the third division promotion contenders, went down 2-1, and Bradford City stretched their unbeaten run to stretched their unbeaten run to seven games with a goalless draw at

Plymouth Argyle.
Gillingham came back from a 7-1
thrashing at York to beat Burnley,
and Preston North End had their
first win in 10 matches, a 3-2 success over Swansez City. Bury, the fourth division leaders, were held 1-1 at Rochdale after Craig Medden had put them ahead.

Tuesday's late results

Milk Cup Third round replay SUNDERLAND (0) 1 NOTTH F Gayle 23,184 (after extra time; score at 80min 8-0; Sunderland home to Tottenham) SECONO DIVISIONE Crystal Palsos 2. Shrawabury Town 2. SCOTTISH PREMIER DIVISION Hibernian D

SCOTTISH PREMER DIVISION Hibertian 0, Aberdeen 3.

SCOTTISH SECOND DIVISION Abion Rovers 1, Berwick Rengers 0, GOLA LEAGUE: Beb Lord Trophy: Second Round; Abrincham 2, Scerborough 1 (ser), Barnet 6, Misiastone 3; Bath 1, Weymouth 1 (ser), Westechner 2, Scerborough 1 (ser), Barnet 6, Westechner 3, Bath 1, Weymouth 1 (ser, Weymouth win on away goal); Rumoom 2, Barrow C, Westechner 1, Eriski 2, Leytonstone and lived 1, Erosm and Ewell 5; Wattherestow Avenue 3, Billericay 3; Westechner 1, Hotshor 1; Worthing 8, Tooting and Mitcham 0; (abandoned at half-time); Wycombe Wandersor 3, Stough 1, First distaion Bromley 1, Femberough 2; Hempton 3, Hornchunch 2; Maldenhead 2, Metropolitan Police 1; Wembley 4, Walton & Herstein D, Second division acutic Bracional 1, Molecey 1; Rainham 6, Southal 1.

NORTHERN PREMERR LEAGUE: Canneborough 4, Molecy D, Horvich 1, Matlock 1; Cowestry 5, Southport 2, Ringl 1, Weno Ablort 2.

Z. CENTRAL LEAGUE: First division: Shell Wednesday 1, Manchester City 2. EASTERN PLOODLY CUP: Barking 4, Chainstord 2, Bishop's Stortland 0, Saftron

Walden 0. Sertron D. Sertron D. Sertron D. Sertron D. POOTBALL. COMBINATION: Cherton 1, Walford 4; Milwell 1, Walford 3; Milwell 1, Walford Birminghow Brighton.
SOUTHERN LEAGUE Bit Dellow Cup: First research Moor Green 3, Bedworth 0 (at Bedworth, Midfland division: Forest Green 1, Rushden 3. FA YOUTH CUP: First round: Derlington D. York 3.

Third division



ATHLETICS: SETTING LONG-RUNNING RECORDS IN PHIDIPPIDES' FOOTSTEPS

RUGBY UNION Gloucestershire

lose Mills through injury

Steve Mills, the Gloucestershire captain, has withdrawn from the county championship game against Yorkshire at Kingsholm on Satur-day. Mills, who wrenched his neck last Saturday playing for England against Australia, took over as the county skipper earlier this season from Bristol flanker Mike Rafter. who has still not recovered from a hamstring injury.

Mills, who is to see a specialist,

decided not to take any risks even though the pain has eased considerably since the weekend. The Bristol scrum-half, Richard Harding, is expected to take over the captaincy while Kevin Bogira comes in at hooker for his first Gloucestershire appearance since the victory over Yorkshire in the 1982-83 final.

John Orwin, the Gloucester lock, who was on duty for the combined services against Australia, and the Bristol stand-off half, Stuart Barnes, who followed tradition and rested the Saturday before his England debut, replace Nigel Pomphrey and David Sorrell

Marathon is too short for singing Greek Athens (AP) - Yiannis ultra-marathoners in a 24-hour diocre athlete, who just didn't "I entered last year just to see Kouros, the recently discovered race at New York's Flushing have the build to go fast." But what I could do in an ultra-

Greek running phenomenon, Meadow, finds the 26-mile marathon race Runni finds the 26-mile marathon race "Running interminably suits me, I started on marathon races" wants to break a series of world 10 years ago, but they're too records at distances above 60

In his first ultra-distance race a year ago, the 28-year-old over 50 miles.
runner, who is a caretaker at a Kouros train sports stadium in southern

six-day run at Downing Sta-dium. He ran 635 miles 1,023 stores.

record between 60 miles and get home." maybe the 12-day race, Kouros His former school sports said today. He was due to run coach, Anastasios Smirniotis, against an international field of dismissed Kouros as "a me-

Times of the 52 final-phase matches will be determined in

FINNISH SCHAD: O Huttunen, M Paimroos, J Europasus, A Hjelm, L. Houtasonen, J Ikalainen, P Kymalainen, A Lahtinen, E Pekonen, E Pettils, I Remes, H Tunnon, K Ustonen, K Virtanen, M Lipponen.

Mariner fitness

check setback

Paul Mariner's chances of proving his fitness in time for England's WorldCup qualifying match in Turkey next week suffered

a setback yesterday when Arsenals reserve match at Swindon was called off because of a waterlogged

short for comfort. They're speed tests nowadays," Kouros said. "Ultra-distance" is anything

Kouros trains for only two hours daily, composing songs in Greece, broke a 2,500-year-old record set by the ancient Athenian courier, Phidippides.

Solution in Solution in Bours daily, composing songs in his head as he pounds the highways around his hometown of Tripoli, capital of a moun-Athenian courier, Phidippides.

Last June, Kouros set a new tainous province 125 miles from Athens. His two albums of

yards, breaking the old record of 623.75 miles set by Englishman George Littlewood in 1888.

"I train by myself, because there aren't any ultra-distance trainers in Greece, doing as "If conditions aren't too cold, much as I feel like," he said. "I

I feel I can break any world write down the music when I

who competed with him in the pected to win.

150-mile "Spartathlon" race from Athens to Sparta this month, Kouros' small, compact seeking military as physique is ideal for ultra-distance running.

contracts more slowly - which enable him to do well over long distances ... along with the hours 25 minutes in this year's essential psychological per-severance and concentration," Sy Mab, professor of health and paths in temperatures that soar physical education at Toledo past 90°F at midday. University, Ohio, said.

the first Spartathlon last year, in 21hours, 53minutes, 42seconds - almost three hours ahead of his nearest rival.

according to American runners distance race, and never ex-

The race recreates Phidip-pides historic run in 490 BC. seeking military aid from Sparta against Persian invaders of Greece. According to Herodo-"Kouros must have an abundance of 'slow-twitch' diplomat "arrived in Sparta the muscles - the kind that day after he left Atheos."

Kouros cut his time to 20 grueling Spartathlon, run over dirt roads and stony mountain

In the New York six-day run, Kouros found out he was a Kouros set 15 world records world-class runner when he surprised a field of international ran for four days without sleep, ultra-distance specialists to win eating fruit, biscuits and chocolate as he went. He lost 15 pounds during the race, in which he stopped for five out of every 24 hours.

Olympic coach reinstated by the French

Paris (Reuter) - Jean-Claude Perria, who was dismissed from the French athletics administration despite coaching Pierre Quinon to an Olympic gold medal, has been reinstated as national pole vanit trainer. He was included in the coaching list of Alain Godard, the athletics technical director, which the Sports Ministry approved venterday.

Perrin had held the post for the past eight years before Godard replaced him with Manrice Houvion, a former world-ranked pole vaniter, who had held the post The outspoken Perrin learnt last

The outspoken Ferrin learnt last unouth that he did not figure significantly in Godard's original plans. The Sports Ministry persuaded him and Godard to think again. Godard is reported to have written to Perrin saying that he had not fully realized the role that Perrin had played under the previous technical director, Jean Pozzobet and proposed that Perris should stay in his old post.

SQUASH RACKETS

Jahan savaged by hungry young men

For Hiddy Jahan, the start of the 1984-85 season has been something of a nightmare. Inhibited by a nagging hamstring problem, worried rankings do not matter when the big by varying muscular back twinges, and perhaps feeling the clammy grasp of incipient middle age, the handsome 34-year-old world No 6 has emerged from a lazy coaching summer to be savaged in the Premier League by hungry young

Playing at first string for Squash Leicester. Jahan led his team to unexpected early leadership of the new competition, which is sponsored by American Express, but suffered personally at the hands of David Lloyd, of Edgbaston Priory, Gawain Briars, of Nottingham, and, this week, Geoff Williams, of Manchester Northern. As if to illustrate that the syndrome is one of age differential, rather than national complex, he also fell in the World Masters, championship to the new 20-year-old world No 2 Chris Dittmar of Australia.

For more than a decade Jahan has for more than a decade Jahan has dominated the upper reaches of international competition through athletic grace, hitting power and sheer courage. Nothing daunts the man who defied for years his original Pakistan officials and now, having taken British nationality, pops in and out at the head of the English rankings because he steadfastly ignores requirements upon fastly ignores requirements upon which they are calculated.

"I have my place in the squash world", be declares, "British

nationality and is patriotically aroused by the benefits England's top players are gaining from regular clashes in the new super league.

When the next world championships are played, we will have the best prepared and most competitively experienced squad England has ever fielded." he insists. Lasgue positions: 1, Emintelle Mirmann 34; 2, Squash Lecaster 30; 3, Empaster Prory, 20; 4, Canons (Lendon), 20; 5, Norregnam, 19; 6, Tyrista (Southampton), 17; 7, Amby (Least), 18, 8, Redurod Lodge (Bristol), 11; 9, Durrangs Mit (East Grinstead), 2

vernaments are put together."
Yet he is proud of his adopted



RUGBY LEAGUE

Videos make mark

By Keith Macklin

recordings was further emphasized at yesterday's meeting of the management committee, who considered the brawling in the second division game between Keighley and Watefield Trinity, which culminated in the referee, John Mean, sending off six players, two from Keighley and four from from Keighley and four from

Both clubs were represented at the hearing, club video tapes were shown, and they were each fixed £250, suspended to the end of the season. Notices were ordered to be posted in the dressing-rooms of turn Keighley and Trinity, warning that any repetition of violent conduct on the field of play will lead to the fee.

The increasing influence of video immediate imposition of the fine The committee ordered that two players, one from each side, should be referred to the disciplinary committee for action, on video tape evidence, They are Thompson (Wakefield) and Greenland (Keighley), front row forwards, who are believed to havebeen the instigators of the brawl.

The St Helens physiotherapist, Mike Stabler, has been selected as trainer to the Great Britain full international and under-21 sides. • Glen Cooper, Roundhay Rugby Union club's goal-kicking back, turned professional yesterday with Hunslet, the first division club. Hunslet paid Cooper a four-figure

COMMONWEALTH GAMES

Youth in highland fling

A speciacular 45-minute opening A speciacular 45-minute opening to the 1986 Commonwealth Games in Edinburgh will feature 5,000 Scottish schoolchildren. The organizing committee are going for juvenile talent to match the glitter of the Los Angeles Olympics. A vast dancing and marching sequence in the Meadowbank Stadium will be choreographed by Ludovico Romano of the Young Generation dance group.

dance group.

Ramano and a BBC producer. Stewart Morris, will start their search for talent in Scottish schools

"Logistically it is a hair-raising problem," said Morris, who will be using computers to help plot the movements of the children, aged between nine and 16.

The 1986 Games will be the

biggest sporting occasion in Britain since the 1966 World Cup and there is expected to be a World-wide television audience of 600 million for the opening ceremony on July The Games will run until August

2 and Kenneth Borthwick, chairman of the organizing committee, early in the new year before said: "The opening is going to make embarking on 12 months of a great impact and will set the pattern for the rest of the Games".

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By Mandarin (Michael Phillips)

This weekend is an important one for Jenny Pitman who will be saddling Burrough Hill Lad (tomorrow) and Corbiere here if she runs as well as she (Saturday) at Cheltenham. First did at Worcester, where she things first, though.

At Stratford today, Mrs Pitman will be hoping to derive encouragement from the way her younger horses Winter Measure and Red Rocky, run in the respective divisions of the Southern Cross Novices' Hurdle.

Both are held in his esteem by their trainer and achieved fluent victories in bumper races on the same afternoon at Wincanton last April, They look capable of beginning this season where they left off last.

Mrs Pitman also runs a nice sort. Fame The Spur. in the Oslo Trophy, a steeplechase confirmed to novices. Fame The Spur won over hurdles on the corresponding card 12 months ago, but in this instance, as he has no experience of jumping fences in public. I prefer Another City, from the in form stable of Gordon Richards.



David Thom: trains Noble Jack. Mandarin's nap

Tote Double: 2.0, 3.0, Treble: 1.30, 2.30, 3.30.

Hansel, 3,00 Oxhey Cottage, 3,30 Military Band. Michael Seely's selection: 3,30 Military Band.

GOING: Good.

KEMPTON PARK

1.0 NOVEMBER NOVICE CHASE (£2,003; 3m) (7 runners)

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FORM: HELLO KILLINEY, (11-5) & 2nd to Green Bramble (11-5) at Chopstow (2m-4f ch), series (11-0) best COOL GIN (10-11) by \$4 at Fontwell (2m 4f ch, E2,407, good, Oct 23, 12 ran), COOL GIN (11-5) recently work by a distance at Plumpton (3m 1f ch), BREAC BAN (11-0) best Owen Luci (11-2) by 2 Eedgefield (2m 2f ch, 21,055, good, Oct 23, 13 ran).

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Kempton selections

By Mandariu 1.00 Hello Killiney. 1.30 NOBLE JACK (nap). 2.00 Artimarval. 2.30 Dare

1963: Absaroke 11-0 S Smith Eccles (8-15 fav) g Princhard-Gordon 13 ren.

2 Malestrano, 6-4 Noble Jack, 6-2 Mosef, 8 Cottagery, 10 Meter Krudger, 12 Bolible Quick Time, Wang And A Prayer, 2 others.

FORDIA (MALISTRANO, (11-10) best Banna's Retreat (10-9) by 4I at Hechent (2m hole, £812, soft, Oct 24, 21 ran). NOBLE JACK, (11-7) best Hasty Days (11-7) by 6I at Navan (2m hole, E) 035, good, Sopt 17. 7 ran). MOSOF (10-9) pulsed up (2m hole, E) 706, good, Oct 20, 22 ran). THE MILIMAN (10-12) let when in 3rd at the last but was remouvled to firsh 4th to Frodwar Partition (10-12) at Fontwell (2m 2) hole, E339, soft, Oct 22, 20 ran). PRONUPTIA SHIDE, (10-7) 21 % 5th to French Nephew (10-5) at Market Rasen (2m hole, £963, good, Aug 6, 11 ran).

1.30 SPRIG THREE YRS OLD NOVICE HURDLE (£1,525: 2m) (13)

8 MOSOF (J Bacon) D Cughton 10-10

9 BECLUSIVELY KNOWN (G Whating) D Sassa 10-10

8 YLGODA (Mrs 8 Threitan) B Sisseen 10-10

104 THE MILCHAN (G Besch M O'Helichan 10-10

A WING AND A PRAYER (T Ramsden) A Salley 10-10

9 PROMIPTIA BRIDE (E Young) D Dale 10-5

2.00 TEDDINGTON HANDICAP CHASE (\$2,903: Sm) (4)

11-8 Tom & Little Al. 9-4 Shady Deal, 7-2 Artimerval, 9-2 Leander Blue.

She has jumped like a stag to win both her chases this season and will take a lot of catching here if she runs as well as she beat Warner For Leisure by six lengths.

Warner For Leisure also runs today, in the Richmond Novices Chase at Kempton, bur here my slight preference is for Nick Gaselec's six-year-old, Darc Hansel, a recent import from Ireland, where he won a hurdle race by 10 lengths at Leopardsrown in March.

Darc Hansel will be ridden by Steve Smith Eccles, who also expects to have a good ride on Oxhey Cottage in the Vauxhall Novices' Hurdle, in spite of the presence of course and distance winner, Mount Bolus, My selection is trained at Lambourn by Nicky Henderson whose stable has just begun to run into form.

Stan Mellor, another Lambourn trainer doing well re-cently, particularly, with his three-year-olds, saddles, the unbeaten Malistrano in the Sprig Three-year-old Novices' Hurdly, A winner of both his races under National Hunt rules, at Kelso and Hexham,

Malistrano is sure to go well. In this instance, however, I expect the winner to be Noble Jack (nap), who was successful at Tralee and Navan in Ireland before joining David Thom's Exning stable. Noble Jack also won twice on the Flat in Ireland and I regared him as a better prospectoveralithan Malistrano. Hello Killiney, runner-up to

the smart Green Bramble at Chepstow last Saturday, can go one better in the November Novices' Chase at the expense



Half Free, who heads the ante-post market for the Mackeson Gold Cup at Cheltenham on Saturday, Half Free is owned by Shaikh Ali Abu Khamsin, trained by Fred Winter and will be ridden by Richard Linley, who teamed up to win the race in 1982 with Fifty Dollars More.

Brown Trix forgets his lines

The scene was set, the supporting The scene was set, the supporting players word perfect and the watching world possed to applaud another uniquely brilliant performance by John Francome, the superstar on National Hunt show, as he raced apparently inexorably to a fastest-ever 50 winners in a season Brown Trix at Newbury

Just as our hirsute hero was preparing to take his bow, however, Brown Trix, on whom Francome had hogged the spotlight from the start, developed a severe case of stage fright, Steve Smith Eccles, so often forced to play understudy to his great friend and rival, nipped in from the wings for a devastating piece of upstaging on Destiny Bay.

Both horses were making their debuts in the chasing sphere and it was jumping that sorted them out.

Brown Trix, who was made odds-on avourities on the strength of his

favourite on the strength of his superior hurdles form, led from flagfall and, although appearing to dominate his rivals at halfway, looked anything but a natural starting to look and think about each and every one of the daunting

Destiny Bay, on the other hand, appeared to revel in his new role and soon after be soared into the

2,30 RICHMOND NOVICE CHASE (£1,889; 2m) (5)

3.00 VAUXHALL NOVICE HURDLE (£1,592: 2m 4f) (14)

1985: (Die li hochgower 6-11-8 M Harrisgeon (18-1) W Wightman 11 ran.

(Dig ff. Bark 4-16-16 Ff Hughes (9-4 fav) P Mitchell 6 zw., 11-16 Mount Boks, 100-39 Subon Pance, 6 from Dart, 7 Hypnosis, 16 Yerkoman, 12 others

PORCE MOUNT ROLLES (10-15) best Lymmeter (11-7) 15) over course and deserce (21.573, good, Oct 20-16) run). (SORT DART (10-10) 15) 2nd of 11 to long Surp (10-10) at Worosepe (2m 41 h, ESIS, firm, Got 12). SUFFOR PRINCE (11-10,654 3rd-of 15 to Meldon Lady (10-5) at Devon (2m 11 h, E728, good, Oct 9). TURKORAN (10-12) 22/6th of 21 to Bandelero (10-11) at Norcester (2m 21 h, E7270, good, Oct 9). TURKORAN (10-12) 23/6th of 21 to Bandelero (10-11) at Norcester (2m 21 h, E7270, good, Oct 9). TURKORAN (10-12) 23/6th of 21 to Bandelero (10-11) at Norcester (2m 21 h, E7270, good, Oct 9).

3.30 UXBRIDGE CONDITIONAL JOCKEYS HANDICAP HUR-

1993: Another Deed 7-11-8 C Brans (7-1) 8 Pating 8 ran.

5-2 Military Band. 11-4 Tugboet, 4 Master Cerl, 13-2 Inchgover, 8 Sir Eamor. 9 Solid Onic, 16 so, 12 Tell Us Another, 14 others.

1,844: 2m 4f) (15)
TUGBOAT: (B,D), (H Hough) P Machel 5-11-16, MASTER CARL (P Savil) F Winter 6-11-6
SOLID OAK (R Cottle) D Berons 6-11-2
SIR EARTH RAND (C,D) (H Loe) J Sittord 5-11-2
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SIR EARTH RAND (C,D) (T Solid R Carter 5-10-7
TELL US ANDTHER (Mrs E Robbins) R Carter 5-10-7
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CELTIC BEAUTY (B) (D) Monay D Elswarth 6-10-7
DUESENBERG (Sh T O'Brien) Mrs J Paman 7-10-7
VICTOR HUGO (B Paarce) J Long 7-10-7

1982: Tudor Road 8-11-13 R Rowe (8-14 tay) L Kennard 4 ran

FORM: ABU YORKEY (1-2-12 W 2nd of 8 to Soldor (10-2) at Doncaster (2m hd. £1,012, firm, Nov 30 1983). WARNER FOR LEISURE [11-0] 6! 2nd of 15. Another City (10-0) at Wordeaser (2m ch. £1,235, good, Cot 27), Bild PARDY (106 (12-0) tailed of it sats of 8 finishes in chase won by Flough Course [12-0] at Down Royal (2m £1,414, good, Apr 14), DARC (HANSEL (10-13) beat Herven Forbid (11-1) 10 at Leopurdstown (2m 21 H. good to soit, 19 March, 13 ran).

MALL NOVICE HURDLE (27, 592; 271 41) (14)

MOUNT BOLUS (D) (A Sandaman) D Oughton 4-11-3 P Double GUARD THE FORT (Mrs C Saymour) Mrs C Saymour 4-10-10 C Cox 7 NYPHOSIS (D) Esworth D Elsworth 3-10-10 Saymour 4-10-10 B-Wright SOM DAR' (J) Davidson) T Haster 5-10-10 Saymour 4-10-10 A Gorman WILLS ALLEGIANCE (S Holis) J Blandest 6-10-10 A Gorman WILLS ALLEGIANCE (S Holis) J Blandest 6-10-10 DOUBLEY COTTAGE (G Johnson) N Handamon 5-10-10 S Smith Eccles SAUCY VILLSAN (Miss E Sneyd) Miss E Sneyd 5-10-10 S Smith Eccles SAUCY VILLSAN (Miss E Sneyd) Miss E Sneyd 5-10-10 M Basterd STAND PISM (A Waters) R Gow 4-10-10 M Basterd STAND PISM (A Waters) R Gow 4-10-10 M Parrett SUITION PISM (S GE), (Sheabt All Able (Snamsin) F Winter 6-10-10 R Linky TURKOMAN (F Sesse) D Sesser 5-10-10 M Parrett SCOLOMER (Alles P Townsley) B Sesser 5-10-6 Mrs P Townsley PENNI'S COLOMER (Alles I Costes) D Sesser 5-10-6 Mrs P Townsley PENNI'S COLOMER (Alles I Costes) D Sesser 5-10-6 Mrs P Townsley PENNI'S COLOMER (Alles I Costes) D Sesser 5-10-6 Mrs P Townsley PENNI'S COLOMER (Alles I Costes) D Sesser 5-10-6 Mrs P Townsley I Florid Flo

4-6 Durc Hanset, 7-2 Werner For Leisure, 8-2 Abu Turkey, 8 Big Peddy Joe, 16 Duran.

clear to even the most ardent Francome-phile that their man

As it was, the champion accepted defeat some way from bome and Brown Trix was eventually over-taken for second place by Great Light. Fred Winter's six-year-old should quickly leave this from behind after such a tender intorduc-

Take nothing away from Destiny Bay, though, By the daddy of all National Hunt stallions, Deep Run, he could well take high rank over fences. Nicky Handerson, his trainer, was pleasuntly surprised by the victory as he considered Destiny Bay, who has a tendency to jump to the left and will therefore be kept to left hand tracks, would definitely

need the outing. Returning inevitably to that man. Francome had delighted both punters and purists alike when winning the Marsh Benham Chase on the odds-on. Young Lover, on whom he led from the start and toyed with his rivals in typically sadistic fishion throughout the closing stages.

Incidentally, the stewards fined Peter Scudamore £50 for failing to

in this race. The decision seemed a harsh one as Scudamore had given his mount two or three hard slaps with the whip on the run-in. Only when it was obvious that Rouspeter had nothing more to give did Scudamore ease off, losing second place to Maori Venture right on the

Even Francome would have applauded the performance of Hywel Davies on Port Askaig in the Lionel Vick Memorial Chase. Tim Forster's nine-year-old had been pinfired and had not won for two seasons, hence his starting price of

Davies had Port Askaig at the rear of the field until moving up to challenge the long-time leader.

Areus, and Mount Oliver at the last fence. The three horses landed virtually in line but Davies showed the strength of Geoff Capes as he did everything but pick up and carry the old horse across the line inches ahead of the other two.

Another notable effort from the saddle was that of the 7lb claiming apprentice. Nigel Coleman, who showed exceptional style and determination to win the Tom Masson Trophy Hurdle on the pint-sized Badelero.

Hard Case rewards his owner's courage

From Our Irish Racing Correspondent, Dublin

Lady Thomson, who turned down a very attractive offer for her novice chaser. Hard Case, from Shaikh Ali Abu Khamsun, had her courage hamdsomley reward then the six-year-old extended his winning sequence to seven in the Irish qualifier for the Embassy Premier Chase at Punchestown yesterday yesterday.

The race developed into a

The race developed into a splendid battle between Hard Case and Boreen Prince, with Hard Case. and Boreen Prince, with Hard Case in making most of the running. The Ellier headed him briefly but fell when holding a fractional advantage at the second ditch.

Hard Case was pressed by Boreen Prince as the field turned for home and at that point the bookmakres

were fielding against the leader. Boreen Prince certainly looked to be going much more easily but he was outjumped by Hard Case at the last and beaten two lengths.

Cranlome, eight lengths back in third, provided an advertisement for Dawn Run, who had finished more than 30 lengths ahead of Cranlome at Navan last week. Jim Dreaper, the owner's son, nominated the winner as a definite runner in a three mile one furloug chase at Cheltenham on December 8 Hard Case is unlikely to run in the Embassy final at Ascot in January unless the ground is very

Boreen Prince, whose jumping left something to be desired on this occasion, runs next at Gowran Park later this month and his trainer. Andrew McNamara, is keen to run

him in the Ascot final.
The other novice chase on the card, the Neill's Gorse Chase, was the race chosen by Francis Flood a year ago to launch his subsequent Arkle Trophy winner, Bobsline, He provided yet another gambled on winning favourite yesterday in Lucisis and while he may not be another Bobsline, he is certainly a

 The safety factor on the one mile round course at Doncaster has been reduced from 27 to 20 for the meeting tomorrow and Saturday.

William Hill report more backing for Old Hubert for the November Handicap at Doncaster on Satruday and now make Alan Balley's gelding 5-1 favourite.

and square-cut with brutal force, as well as with perfect timing. The short balls were meat and drink to him and his strokes included 18 fours. He looked an impetuous

Test team, De Silva failed in that game but

they also looked understandably weary by the end of the day. The field was still damp from recent unseasonal rainstorms and a spot at

CRICKET

Batsman returns from hospital to hit Test century

From Richard Streeton, Colombo

Audacious stroke play by the 19vear-old Aravinda de Silva, who
ignored the effects of a nasty blow
on the head, brought him a
remarkable maiden hundred when
England opened their tour against
the President's XI here yesterday.
By the close the President's young
side had reached 285 for seven
wickets as more than one player
profited from England's lack of
practice and acclimatization.
De Silva was stuck high on the
cheek by the second ball he faced,
when Foster got a full-length ball to
lift. A lump the size of a golf ball lift. A lump the size of a golf ball lift. A lump the size of a golf ball swelled up and at lunch de Silva, who was 28 not out, went to hospital for an x-ray examination. This showed no fracture and he was able to resume his innings after the interval and launched into a series of spectacular shots as if nothing had happened.

England, to a point, had no reason to be dissatisfied with their

reason to be dissatisfied with their first day's match play. They took hirst day's match play. They took three early wickels and under a burning sun, with the temperature reaching 90 at one stage, there was no obvious deterioration in their bowling and fielding efforts. At times, too, the forceful batting by Aravinda de Silva and several others was of a calibre which bowlers in peak form have found hard to restrict. hard to restrict,

If it is not unfair to mention a

fault at this early stage, the quicker England bowlers tended to bowl too short, against de Silva in particular. For a short, slim man, he hooked player in England last season but still forced his way into the Lord's

this innings of 105 in little more than three hours showed that he is destined to be a force in Sir Lankan cricket for many years ahead. When he lofted the ball into the air five minutes before tea, and was caught at long-on off Pocock, it was virtually the first time he had deliberately lifted the ball off the ground. He reached 100 out of 161 runs scored, with the second 50 coming from 37 balls, but it was the panache and courage which made this memorable batting.

Each of the five English bowlers took a wicket in their first spell and one end of the pitch occasionally yielded unexpected lift. The groundsman had only two days to prepare the pitch and the conditions are likely to deteriorate before the match is finished.

Edmonds bowled with control and was more economical than Pocock, who was not used until 25

Itinerary approved England have approved their winter itinerary in India, which new withter times at year and new includes a three-day match with North Zone at Mohan Negar between December 7 and 9 and a one-day match at Chandig January 25 or 27.

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all the batsmen were cutting loose. England's early breakthroughs came when Von Hagt slashed at a wide ball and was caught behind Amerasinghe was well caught at cover as he drove, and Warnasuriya was held from an inside edge as he suretched forward. By lunch, after two hours, the score was 54 for three. Aravinda had already con-firmed his recovery from serious hun hy two successive square cuts for

Madugaile, an experienced Test player, led the early afternoon assuit, including three fours against Foster on the leg side and a six over rud-off against Edmunds. The fourth wicket put on 99 in 25 overs before Madugalle moved out against Edmunds and missed: Downton missed the stumping, initially, but was fortunate with the rebound,

Ranatunga then had the unusal experience of being completely overshadowed as De Silva cut and hooked a stream of fours

PRESIDENT'S XI: First Innings

D M von Hagt c Downton b Cowers

C P Amerasinghe c Downton b Foster

S Wamslutesuriya c Downton b Edison

P ili de Sivis c Cowers b Pocock

R S Madugalle st Downton b Edison

R Mantangalle st Downton b Edison

R Mahansma not out.

R G de Awks c Foster b Cowans

R J Ratnavaka not out

Extras (1-b 1)

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-14, 2-14, 3-33, 4-132, 5-191, 6-221, 7-285

BOWLING (to date): Cowers 12.3-3-50-2-Foster 13-6-34-1: Elison 11-1-45-1: Edmonts 33-10-93-1: Pocock 19-6-52-1. ENGLAND: "D I Gower, G Fowler, R ? Robinson, M W Gatting, A J Lamin, R M Elison, P H, Edmonds, IP R Downton, N A Foster, P I Pocock, N G Cowairs.

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is not

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instead of November 15, which is a

NEW ZEALAND: 'J Wright, B Edgar, M Crows, J Crows, J Red, E Gray, I Smith, J Bracewill, M Snedden, L Calres, S Boock, PRESIDENT'S XJ (front): Mascod Anwar, Calre (Jane)

have no rest day.

Muslim religious holiday and it will

Sarfraz drops out

Rawalpindi (Reuter) - Sarfraz have said that the first levt of the Nawaz has pulled out of the three-Test series between the two Pakistan Cricket Board President's sides will begin on November 16 Xi. who play New Zealand in a three-day tour-opening match be-ginning here today. Sarfraz was named for the side on Monday but an official said he would not be available because his father is ill. qash, is to be brought in the side, which is led by the former national captain. Javed Miandad.

The Pakistani cricket authorities

Shoeri Mohammad, Rameez Raja, Jane Mandad, Saleeri Melik, Saghir Abba, An Delpet, Haleezur Rehman, Asri Afrid, Tahu Nagqash, Wassem Akram, Ghafter Kami Tanir Ahmad.

*Captain. **ATHLETICS**

Miss Budd calls a halt to consider future

From Michael Hornsby, Johannesburg

Zola Budd will not take part in any races either in South Africa or overseas for the rest of the year, to give herself more time to think about the future. If she took part in any South African races, she would be barred from international compe-

Tuesday night by Januie Momberg, the vice-president of the South African Amateur Athletic Union (SAAAU), after he and Miss Budd had spent a quiet day at Hermanus, a coastal resort south-east of Cape

Town, with Nigel Cooper, the general secretary of the British Amateur Athletic Board (BAAB).

Mr Cooper flew back to Britain last night, and is expected to brief other BAAB officials on his talker with Miss Bodd, and is represented.

with Miss Bodd, and in particular how she hopes to solve her personal problems without cutting herself off from international athletics.

Miss Budd would live in South Africa, but retain her British citizenship and commute to selected race meetings overseas. An American sports equipment company has offered to meet the travelling costs of Miss Budd, her coach and a member of her family.

Mr Momberg said that, as fat 25 he knew, such sponsorship would not conflict with the amateur rules. He also pointed out that Duley Thompson, the Olympic decathlon champion, lives in California but represents Britain in Los Angeles. "If it's OK for Daley Thompson, who doesn't even take part in British championships, why isn't it OK for Zola?" he said.

Mr Momberg said Miss Budd will spend the next two months discussing her future with friends

Board to hear proposals

Bill Evans, the outgoing chairman of talks with Miss Budd in South Bu Evans, the ovigoing chairman of the British Amateur Athletic Board (BAAB), said yesterday that he still felt that Zola Budd "should be resident in Britain, at least during the track season, in order to build up her credibility. It's understandable that she might want to remain in South Africa during the mission in

Africa, but that any developments that Mr Cooper had to report would

Sam Ramsamy, the chairman of that she might want to remain in South Africa during the winter.

Dr Evans said that he was expecting Nigel Cooper, the board secretary, to return today from his South African athletics officials.

HOCKEY

Late winner by London

London University Beckenham.....

Three well taken goals by London University provided them with an exciting victory over Beckenham in the London League at Motspur Park yesterday. It was the first win for London after three drawn matches

and two defeats.

The more experienced Beckenham side, with their captain. Chris Rule, watching from the sidelines, suffered only their second defeat. the previous one being at the hands of Slough. They are sixth in the table

with three voctories behind them and had so much territorial advantage yesterday that they seemed unlikely to lose. In the end however, London's stronger running carried the day.

A piercing run through the middle by Kullar ended in Berry soring off the rebound to give Beckenham the lead in the fifteenth minute. Almost on half-time Thompson came in along the line

and passed back for Baxter to put London on equal terms. Four minutes after the interval London went ahead with Szucs coming through on the right and setting up a chance for Winston to score. A smart run down the right by Swayne earned Beckenham their fourth short corner in this half and Gallyer converted with a strong hit

The London defence had an anxious time holding off Beckerham's combined operations, but five minutes before the end London scored a dramatic match-winner though Szucs, who pounced on a deflection off Bowling's suck after a deflection off Bowling's stick after a free hit by Brooker.

LONDON LINEVERSTY: M Seiten (Chekset: P O'Dornet (St Mary's Hoopins). "M Murry (Imperial Godlege), C Wall (London Hospits), Bexter (Kinga Hospits), 'J Brooker (SUS). P Kirkland (St Thomas a Hospits), M Studingerial College), T Thompson (SSEES), D Winston (Cusen Mary College). M Studies (Suspense), Carrigan, B Mills, S Gallyer, G Swayns, Detver, I S Kuller, A Watson, N Berry, Umpires: D Harring and D Howel (Southern Counties).

to redress the balance.

FORMS LITTLE AL (11-9) probably still needed the face when 501 4th to Integration (16-1), last year (10-9) he beat Pirty Dollars More (12-0) by 12s at Ascot (2m of Ch, £5,766, good, Apr 4, 5 ran), SMADY DEAL (12-7) 21 Vy 4th and last behind Harry Hotspur (10-6) at Humingdon on only outing last year (3m ch, £1,128, fm., Sept 15 1983), ARTIMARYAL (10-0) 28 Vy) last of 5 behind Half Free (11-4), previously (10-0) beat Carriy Denny (12-0) 7t at Weitherby (3m ch, £2,511, good to fm., Oct 17, 7 ran) LEAMORER SILLE (10-5) in need of race and 11th or Last Succept (11-7) at Worden, Feb 23, 9 ran). Worden, Feb 23, 9 ran). Selection LEANDER BLUE

Gamble landed

for new owner

Rachet's Delight landed a gamble from 16-1 to 4-1 in the first division Delight is the first venture into racehorse ownership by John Bell, tather of Chris, the former jockey.

Bell, who was with Michael
Dickinson for six years and
partnered 41 winners before weight

problems forced him to give up last season, said: "Rachel's Delight, who won over a mile and a half on the Flat in Ireland, was led out unsold at Doneaster sales fast May and I bought him privately for my father."

Robert Kington, after spending many hours in the sauna, managed to get down to 10st 1lb to ride Dusky Fox in the Staveley Handicap Chase. His efforts proved well worth while as the combination

ked all the way.

Kington said: "It is the lightest I have ridden since the 1977 Grand National." Kington, who only came in for the mount last night when Ron Hyeti pulled out because of a painful arm, was riding his first winner of the season. Gordon Richards, who has sent

with odds-on favourites Tartan Trader and Music Be Magic. both partnered by Neale Doughty. John Lowe made sure of the northern Flat jockey's title when completing an Edinburgh double on Silver Cannon in the Tennents
Lager Maiden Stakes and Senor
Ramos in the Lamot Pils Nursery
handicap. Both are trained by Steve
Norton, who is enjoying his best
season with 43 winners

season with 43 winners. Path's sister, Chris Thornton's last runner of the season, swept home by six lengths from Blue Breeze in the Tennent November Handicap, Jimmy Bleasdale, the winning jockey, goes to Singapore winter on Monday. Thornton has just came out of

Newbury results

Getreg: Good

1.00 (2m 100yd hdie) 1, CROCSOX (G
McCourt, 4-1 p-lav); 2. Participation (S J
O'Nell, 8-1); 3, Tigerwood (R Pusey, 5-1).
ALSO RAN: 4 p-lav May Alating (4ft), 13-2
Currinta do Lago, 15-2 Blue Wonder (PU), 11
Pussoia (5th), 16 Guruwayoor (PU), 25-Top of
the Streath, 35 Derby Day (PU), Pip aid feer
(9th), NR: Semmental Gold. 11 mm. Strid, 7-1
k, 7-1, 10; H O'Nell at Dorking, TOTE: 23-26.
Stawards Inquiry, the result stands.

1.30 (3m ch) 1, PORT ASKAIG (H Deviss, 14-1); 2, Aresta (B de Hasn, 4-1); 3, Mosed Oliver (P Scudstrore, 7-2); ALSO RAN: 3-4 kg/ Solid Rock (4m); 4 Romen Canet (PD), 12 The Sornet (8th); 25 Poler Express (5th); NIT: Sor Gordon, 7 ran, Nik, ni, 2), 20, not recorded, T Forster at Wantsope, TOTE: \$15.70; 24.10, 22.10. DF: \$28.90. CSF-\$61.80.

1.00 (2m holis) RACHEL'S DELIGHT (J. Duggar, 4-1); 2, Charlotte's Dance (A Brown, 100-30); 3, Measter (G Bractey, 20-1); ALSO RAN: 7-4 rev Specials Bold (Str), 8 Bardsey (pAs), 16 Autother Special (4th), Spenish Point, 20 Dawn's Lad (6th), Ridgeway Bay (Fell), 25 Aboushabus, Velued Opinion, 33 Affred Douglas, Grey Clastic (p/up), The Cobell Link,

PORIA: TUGBOAT (12-7) best Mr Jet (11-8) 119 at Fatersham (2m 5f h. 21,175, good, Sept 28, 10 ram). MASTER CARL (11-4) about 674 4th of 22 to County Player (10-13) at Ascot (2m 4f, £2,540, good, Oct 31). MB_TART BARD (10-12) 101 2nd of 4 to Janua (11-2) at Hunsingdon (2m 11 t, £3,726, good to Erm, Oct 27). SR EABRON (11-8) 1494 6th of 16 to Record Caron (12-2) at Playerion (2m h. £2,278, good to soft, 16 ram). THE TOTM (11-12) best says Eye (11-5) 5f at Bangor (2m ch. £957, good, May 18). INCHGOWER (11-8) 8th of 12 to My Brave (10-8) have (3m, t. 1386, good to Erm, Jan 20). Selection: MASTER CARL

2.00 (2m 4! ch) 1. YOUNG LOVER (J. Francome, 8-13 feet; 2. Maen Venture (Serie Knicht, 4-1; 3. Resepter (F. Scuciantore, 7-2; AL SO RAN: 20 Delignime (4th, 4 mm, 44, hd, recorded. F Winter at Lembour). TOTE: 21.30; DF 22.70. CSF 23.26.

2.30 (2m 4l ch) 1. DESTAY BAY (S Smith, 13-2); 2. Great Light (Hrs S Snerwood, 15-6); 3. Brown That, J Francoms 10-11 Re). ALSO RAN: 14 Lisboney Hill (4th, 65 Ghaina (PJ), My Malor (PJ), 6 mm 15, 62.0, N Henderson at Limpsann, TOTE: 4.20, 1.70; 1.40; 6.30. CSF:

3.90 (2m 4f holis) 1, MARCH ESC (N Colmen.
6-1); 2. Vegent (Der Willerne, 5-1; 3. The
Carbolhood (S Smith Endes, 15-2. ALSO RAIN
5-4 fev Bujen Sunehine (4th), 7 füng's College
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2.30 (2m 100yd hole) 1, lightisticty EYES (M Perrett, 4-5 fav); 2, Desble Swing (C Brown, 14-1; 3, Double Turn (G Newmen 12-1; ALSO Pank: 3 Poyel Cracker; 6th), 5 Gallary (4th; 14 Rix Woodcock (p.u); Wasson (5th), 25 Fool's Pleasure, Invisible Ring, 50 Bishops Partic (p.u), 10 rzs. 10, 149, 8, 4, 8, 5 Nebicr at Lambourns, TOTE: 21,90; 21,20, 24,90, 22,40, DP: 217,20, CSP: E15,90, TOTE DOUBLE 218,90, TREBLE 218,20, JACKPOT: 25,375,10 to a 50p stake, PLACEPOT: 25,490.

Wolverhampton

Waspel, Leaved. 16 Ran. 2 1/1, 16, 51, 1/4, 41 | Edinburgh Morril at Wragby. TOTE 54.60; 51.80, 51.10, 51.40. DF: 223.50. CSF: 218.63.

1.30 (2m ch; 1. TANTAN TRADER (N. Doughty, 1-4 fau; 2. Sourcest (C. Smith, 7-1); 3. Sourcest (C. Smith, 7-1); 3. Sourcest (C. Smith, 7-1); 3. Fauch, 1-4 Faun, NR; Jingh Estimate, (40); 4. Faun, NR; Jingh E. Toyone, 61, 27-1, 61, 67 Richards at Greystoke. TOTE 11.10; 11.20; DP; 21.50, CSP; 22.84.9

DLE (£1,844: 2m 4f) (15)

2.00 (3m ch) 1, DUSKY FOX (R Kington, 4-1); 2, Native Break (S Mossinged, 6-4 km; 3, Beetling Bysary (465s, R Harper, 6-1), ALSO RAY: 3 Personality Plus (Fel), 16 Fine Pine (46), 5 Ran. 5, 15, 30. C Hindrings at Ledbury. TOTE: 2180: 22.00. 21 10. DP: \$2.20. CSP 2.30 (2m ch) 1, ROYAL MANK (Mr P Morgan, 12-1); 2, Crowcopper (F Stronge, 10-1); 3, Fer-RB (George Knight, 5-1). ALSO RAN: 1-2 faw The Welder (fell), 16 Chief Blackfoot (fell), 20 Para Love (4th), 33 Flacta, (UR), 7 ran. NR-Beloyd, 3, 11, 81 B Pailing at Controloga. TOTE: £14.70; £3.00, £3.20. DF £32.50. CSP: £101-13.

3.00 (2m hole) 1. NEUSIC BE MAGEC (N Doughty, 47 far); 2, Lochrum (G Stradley, 7-2); 3, Elumire Sphit (S Mershead, 8-1), ALSO FAM: 20 Easy Listening (Sch. 33 Nonstap (4th), Celtia Fair, 40 Soine Kathy, 65 Hengchow (8th), 8 fam. 72, 122, 8, sh-72, 100, 0 Richards at Graystoles, TOTE, 51.50; 21.00, 51.80, 52.10. DF: 52.20, CSF 52.87



Neale Doughty: double at Wolverbampton with Tartan Trader and Music Be Magic

3.30 (2m hdie) 1, RHYTHERC PASTESES (G Brackey, 11-2; 2, Try To Remember (P Richards, 7-2; 3, Johnson (Mr T Essterby, 13-8 54), ALSO RAN: 5 Gobry Broke, 15 Nochel Pupi, 20 Lor Moss. 25 Aldreyson Mit (8th, 35 Shout (4th), 40 Noble Way, Kildere Lad (PU), Ketle Bourne (5th), 11 ran, 8, 5, 8, 11. J R Jentikrs at Energy TOTE: 55.10 77 50, 77 80.

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1,15 (Im 4) 1, WILLOW TWIG (M Birch, 181); 2, State Affeir (Paul Eddery, 9-4 tayl; 3,
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half at Middisham. TOTE: 28-60; 21-70, 21-20,
25.10. DF: 519.00. CSF: 248-68. Objection by
the second to the winner overrules.

1.45 (Sf) 1, HI-MUNSLEY (M Wood, 5-4 tay); 2, Ring's Bedge (D Nichols, 9-1); 3, Bold Way (K Hodgson 9-1). ALSO RAN: 7-2 Rorset Florest (9th); 7 Hopelul Katle (Sth, 10 Aldoro, 14 Mr Toughguy, Wholmowsthebowler, 33 Debris (9th); 8 Ran, Nd., 17-18, IP, H., sh-hd. C Booth at Flexion, TOTE: 62-80; 61-10, 52-60, 53.10. DF: 26.30. CSF: 214.90. Result stends after a descript lemids.

2.15 (Im 7t) 1, PATH'S SISTER (J Bineadele, 9-2 k-layf; 2, Bine Bineaze (R Lappin 14-1); 3, Aud Lang Syne (Paul Eddery, 9-2 f fav), ALSO RAN: 6 Mison Burn, Ribbons of Biss, 10 Lover's Classi, 12 Bondoe, Sweethert (6th), 14 Homa in Whoming (4th), Secure Pursuit (8th), 16 Val Climber, 50 Pringle, Hezzel Bank. 13 Run. 6, nl. 5, 41, rk. C Thomson at Middletam. TOTE 258,87; 229, 23.40, 21.10. DP: 251.00. CSP-258.72. TRUCAST: 2271.82 2.45 (n) 1, SUDDY'S DOWNY (G Becter, (11-4 fav); 7, Changaire (D Leadbiller, 10-1); 3, Northern Prospect (J Lowe, 5-1), ALSO RAN: 3 Sports Headlines (5t) 5 Mel Mira (8th) 14 50 Dewn Lady, 8 Ran, 21 sh hd, 21, 17-, 1 %, 1 Wharton at Melton, TOTE: 22.50, 21.10, 22.10, DP: 219.50. C.S.F. 225.03. Bought in 2, 100grs.

3.15 (1m) 1. SELVER CANNON (J Love, 2-1 fav); 3 Boney's Pledge 9. Scotch Rocket (M Remer, 7-1). ALSO RAN: 100-30 Dute of Cambridge (4th) 10 Reformed Hebit (5th) at 5 rst. 71. 71. 13. 30 S Norton Barneley, TOTE 22.20; C1 30, 21 10. DF: 92.20. CSF 95.64. 2.45 (7) 1. SERROR RAMOS (J Love, 5-2 fav; 7. Prince Darlas (N Connortan, 14-1; 3. Conwy River 81 (C Notter, 8-1). ALSO RUN: 11-2 Chaire Loopus, 6 John Stain (Sh) 13-2 Statemen (Very 14 Separat Port. Porkey's Per, Taylor's Panovston (Sh) 25 Comms, Swing Pres. 11 rat. 17: nis, nis, 7sl. 44, S Norton 8 Berniery TOTE: 22.40; £1.00, £2.50. 480. DP: 251.40. CSP: £23.34. Pricast: £218.77. Stavards Inquiry - result stands. Pleospot 55.35.

 Sixteen borses, from an origina entry of 58, have been withdrawn at the first forfeit for the Hennessy the inst forest for the retnessy Gold Cup at Newbury on November 24. They are: Brown Chamberlin, Diamond Edge, Special Cargo, Tom's Little Al, Duke of Milan. Another Breeze. Beamwam, Fred Pilliner. Musso, Sam Wrekin, Bush Guide, Manton Castle, Winning Brief Red Clerk. Alleries, Winning Brief, Red Cleric, and Master Tercel.

GOING: good to soft 1.15 SOUTHERN CROSS NOVICE HURDLE (Div t: £548: 2m) (15

STRATFORD-ON AVON

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6-4 hts Only A Joke. 5-2 Northern Bay, 4 Selborne Rembler, 6 Mr Gumboots, 12 Re Gieno 3.15 ARCHIE SCOTT MEMORIAL GOLD CUP HANDICAP HURDLE (£2,817: 2m 6f) (12)

7-2 Little London, 4 Light Song, 5 Aifle Dickins, 6 Celtig Story, 13-2 Misty Dale, 8 Flormado Sowden, Whe Law, 12 officers.

3.45 SOUTHERN CROSS NOVICE HURDLE (Div II: £548: 2m) (17) SOUTHERN CROSS MOVICE HURDLE (Div II: £548: 2m)

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HECCA BOOKMAKERS HANDICAP HURDLE Em, Sandown, December 1; Very Promising 8 12 0, Bajen Surashine 8 11 12. Robin Wonder 8 19 3, Sans Prick 7 11 8, Bashyatrow 7 11 8, Resheroor 6 11 8, Jenus 6 11 7, Six's Double 6 11 6, Admira's Cup 6 11 4, Deset Hero 10 11 4, DeBury 6 11 2, Golden Friend 6 11 2, Greet Light 8 11 1, Jade And Distanded 6 11 0, Annoch 6 11 0, Marshell Key-6 10 13, Infielder 5 10 12, Rosel Rayine 5 10 11, Alban Glazzed 7 10 2. 108.
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GOLF Britain and Ireland four strokes behind US

Hongkong (AFP) - The United States, the defending champions, had a seven-under-par 209 to take a four-stroke lead from Britain and Ireland in the opening round of the Eisenhower Cup, at the men's world amateur team golf championships, here vesicrday.

here yesterday.

Four-man teams from 38 countries teed off yesterday morating on the 5,938-yard par-72 composite course at Fanling. The highlight of the day was a hole-in-one for Randy Sonnier of the United States, on the 192-yard par-three eighth hole. The 15-year-old Texan used a five-iron to score the fourth ace of his career. Sonnier and Jay Sigel, who has played four times in the Eisenhower

Cup. both returned two-under 70s fule their teammate Scott Verplank, was one shot better on 69. The combined team of Britain and Ireland had a three-under-par 213 with David Gilford recording a four-under 68, Garth McGimpsey a 70 and Colin Mongomerie a 75.

Argentina were one stroke behind on 214 thanks to Luis Carbonetti's 68. Jaime Nouguea and Fernado Chiesa both returned with 73. New Zeafand's Greg Turner hit the day's lowest score, a five-under-par 67. The 21-year-old Oklahoma university student cank seven birdies. silv student sank seven birdies including five on the inward half and dropped a stroke on the second

in this four-day tournament only the best three of the four scores each day count towards the team total

At the biennial meeting of the World Golf Council on Tuesday, Venezuela was chosen as the host country for the next championships in 1986. The Eisenhower Trophy and the women's Espirito Santo Cup, won by the United States here last week, will be played in Caraca in October of that year,

In C. (100-F of that Year, Leading Training States is Verplant 69, J. Sigel 70, R. Somier 70), 212: Brannfredand Cl. Gillard 68, G. McGampsey 70, C. Montpomeria 75), 214: Arpentha. 215; Japan. Atalasia. 217: New Zediand. 216: Canada, Spoin. 224: Sweden. 225: Destrutt. 232: Paiuritar. Zimbethere. 242: Morvay. Leading ladividual Scorees 67: G. Turner (NZ); 58 L. Carboneth (Arg), T. Sakata (Jap), D. Gettord (G. B); 68: S. Verplant. (US), Soffian Tan (Malaysai); 70: J. Sigel (US). R. Sommer (US), K. Nigerton (Austra), G. McGlimpsey (GB),

YACHTING

Patriotism is not enough

By Barry Pickthall

Peter Phillips, the former police sargeant from Exeter who went close to winning the Observer Europe I singlehanded transatlantic yacht race earlier this year, yesterday announced plans to build an 80-foot catamaran in time to take on the French maxis in nest year's two-handed Round Britain race.

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The craft, designed by John Shuttleworth, will have a beam of 45 feet. a sail area of 2,800 square metres and will displace 8.5 tounes. Accommodation is to be centred amidship rather than in the two hulls, with the view sleeping inside the main beam, which has a maximum width of 13 feet and is shaped rather like an aeroplane

wing.
The cost of building the catamaran is being borne by a syndicate of local businessmen with the help of Exercr City council, who have agreed that the project should go ahead despite the lack of sponsorship which must be resolved if Phillips is to fulfil plans to compete in next year's Round Britain race, a proposed event around Europe and the Two-Star and Route du Rhum transatianties

classics the following year.
"It was a difficult decision to
make", Phillips said. "We have had terrific support locally, and from the British marine industry, but so far no commercial sponsor has stepped forward. I did consider throwing it all in but when you are lying fifth in the French organized world cham pionship league table - the only Brit in the first 14 - somehow my patriotism got the better of me. believe that when building is under way someone will match my resolve with finance to ensure that Britain is represented in the big league multibull racing over the next three

Azzurra group's **S8m** challenge

Perth (AFP) - Italy's Azzurra syndicate are prepared to spend \$8.62m (£6.89m) on their 1986-87 America's Cup challenge here, the group's managing director, Riccardo Bonadeo, said here yesterday. He said that the syndicate, who are headed by the Aga Khan, already have 22 major sponsors to raise that amount.

The group had three 12 metre vachts, Azzurra, Freedom and Enterprise, and will start building a fourth, designed by Andrea Valla-

chelli, in January.

Bonadeo is here looking for dock space for at least three 12 metre boats and foor or five support craft.

EQUESTRIANISM Lemieux loses

his sponsor Robert Lemieux, a surprising selection for the British three-day event squad in Los Angeles, has lost his sponsor - mainly because of the

The Surrey-based rider has been backed by the Leigh furniture company, Boardmans, but the company now say they will not renew the deal agreed in January, after encountering adverse trading conditions. They say that many of their shops are based in North-West towns affected by the strike.

TODAY'S FIXTURES

FOOTBALL CENTRIAL LEAGUE Past division: Derby County v Coventry City (7.0): Eventon v Notingham Forest (7.0); Notas County v Notingham Forest (7.0); Notas County v Nathaman (7.0); Wast Brom Albion v Manchester United (postponed). Second division: Botton Wandersers v Blackpool (7.0); British v Stundersend (7.30); Prestion v Wight. Pa VOITH CUP: First recents Sutton United v Orient (7.30).

HOCKEY CLIS MATCH: Cambridge University v Nat When Bank, WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT: South Junior Countes Championship (Barbarn Abbay). OTHER SPORT TENNES: Benson and Hedges Chemptonships (Warnbley Arane). RACKETS: Noel Bruce Cup (Queen's Cub. London).

Public Appointments

New South Wales Government Office, London

Business Development Officer

This Office is seeking a person to be based in London to undertake investment, trade and industrial promotion work in the United Kingdom and Europe. The appointee will have had experience at a senior level in the manufacturing industry or commerce and be an effective communicator with a good knowledge of industry and commerce in the United Kingdom, Europe and Australia. Fluency in either French and/or German is required and the person must have a denuine desire to promote and further investment, trade and industrial opportunities in New South Wales.

Appointment will be under the Public Service Act, 1979, and the salary payable will be £13,168 range £14,588 per annum plus the London Weighting Allowance.

Applications in writing and marked confidential should be addressed to the Secretary, New South Wales Government Office, 68 Strand, London WC2N 5LZ, by 23rd November, 1984. Applications must include the names and addresses of at least two referees. Telephone inquiries may be directed to:-

MR W. J. PARSONS, 01-839 6651

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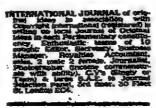
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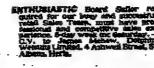
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Putting a price on your head when considering offers

services is going to have a vital influence on your future career development. Too high and you will be in danger of pricing yourself out of the employment market. Too low and you will find it difficult to maintain your standard of living. So, how much are you worth? How can you find out? How should this influence you when you are negotiating or evaluating a future salary package?

Your present salary provides a useful starting point, though it should not necessarily be taken as representative of what you could be earning. Ask vourself a few basic questions about how your income is calculated. What hasic salary are you paid annually? How is it calculated (by time, by performance, by project)? Does it form part of a graded salary structure, or was it negotiated separately? If it was negotiated separately, what factors did you take into account when evaluating the offer? What perquisites (perks), fringe benefits or incentive schemes come with the salary? How much are they worth? Taking them into acco .nt, how much are you paid per month, per week and

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Most importantly, how much would you lose by changing your job? Fringe benefits and perks now account for a significant proportion of most remuneration packages and the majority are not transferrable. This particularly relates to pensions, but also to life assurance, private health and mortgage loan schemes.

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comparing notes and probably for the same reason. Particular good venues for this are trade exhibitions or

Recruitment advertising. Regularly read the classified columns of the quality national newspapers and relevant trade and professional journals to discover the salaries and benefits being offered in jobs similar to your own. The editorial pages of trade journals should also provide some clues to the value placed on personnel within your field.

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national hero, who falls in love with his widow and uncovers the truth behind the dead

man's outwardly upright behaviour. Directed by George

the death of an American

6.50 Unicom in the Garden. An

animated film by James

7.00 Channel Four Nams with Peter Sissons. The programme includes a report from

Lawrence McGinty on the

7.50 Comment. With his view on a matter of topical importance is a lawyer, Munir Ahmed Rafiq.

examines the achieveme

8.00 Scotland's Story. David

crisis in Goternment-funded scientific research.

Hayman narrates the 18th episode of the history of Scotland and the Scots. This

Scotland's doctors, surgeons

Inventors and engineers, plus the founding of the Free Church of Scotland.

Wholly Wedlock. A concert recorded at Bristol's Fleece Firldn, featuring Fred Wedlock, once the 'Oldest Swinger in Town' now a successful west

starring Jonathen Pryce, Cherie Lunghi and Carmen Du

Sautoy. The professor is dead and the insurance money is

still alive and Christian finds

himself a pawn between the

final part of Dr Catherine Hill's series tracing the history of Britain's ancestry.

an widow and the

Machiave

emoral secretary.

11.00 The Blood of the British. The

11.25 Scep. Jessica survives, Mary gives birth to a strangely coloured boy while Burt and Danny think they have been kidrapped when they find themselves in a run-down

hotel room surrounded by women's clothing.

9.30 Praying Mantis. The second

Film: Keeper of the Flame'

Directed by Derrick de Marney

by Lastie Hallwell begins with Film: The Big Blockade*

(1942). A drama documentary starring Laslie Banks, Michael Redgrave, Marius Goring and John Mills, about the work of

stage and communicates tidings of comfort and low from the decarted comfort and joy from the departed to the bergaved. The medium and the message are the same: there is no darkness to be feared in the great adventure of death, it is all too easy to pour scom on Doris Stokes's crystal-clear vision of another world in which aborted children are kept in capsules until the time comes for them to be born, and where there are halfs of music and learning. The difficulties arise when you try to prove her wrong.

SPACE SALVAGE (BBC 2, 8.00pm) drastically amends at least one layman's belief (mine) that computer technology marks the outer limits of the insurance world's accommodation with the 21st

Radio 4

On long wave f denotes stered on VHF, S.55 Shipping, 8.00 News Briefing; Weather, 8.10Farming Today, 8.25 Prayer For The Day, 6.30 Today, including 8.30, 7.30, 8.30 News, 8.55, 7.55 Weather, 7.00, 8.00 News, 7.25, 8.25 Sport, 7.45 Thought for the Day, 8.36 Yesterday in Parliament, 8.57 Weather, Travol.

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2.00 News.

2.05 Taking Sides. An audience of 150 air their views about an issue which has taded from the headines (almultaneous broadcast with BBC1). Today's topic is women at work.

10.00 News; Medicine Now (r).

10.30 Morning Story; "Trick or Treat" by Michael A. Pearson. Read by Timothy lightiey.

10.45 An Act Of Worstop (with David Winter).

10.45 An Act Of Worship (with Oavid Winter).

11.00 News; Trevel; Strome of Mey; Dale To Madelin. A story of husband-and-write sallors.

11.26 The Case Against God. An inquity into the existence and character of God. In eight parts (2) (r).

12.00 News; Whet About The Workers? A weekly guide to your rights at work & industrial justice.

12.27 Son Of Cliché (Inew series) 12.55 Westher.

Weather.
1.00 The World At One: News,
1.40 The Archers 1.55 Shipping

forecast.
2.90 News; Woman's Hour. Today's action includes a feature about poetry written by women curing the Second World War. Also the third episode of Lize Cody's Bad

Company, read by David McAlister.

3.00 The Afternoon Play: My Aim is

True, by Mark Brennan. With Rosalyn Elvin and Anton Lesser. Psychological thrifter about a pregnent women's suspicions about her husband. She tears for her sanity and even her life. I News: Enquire Within with Neil Landor.

Lander.
4.10 Bookshelf, With Hunter Devices.
4.40 Story Time: Let the People Sing' by J.B. Priestley (4). Read by Enri Reitel.

BBC1 WALES 12.57pm-1.00 News of Wales Headlines. 3.48-3.50 News of Wales Headlines. 5.30-5.35 Interval. 5.35-5.58 Wates Today. 6.30-7.20 Star Trek. 8.30-8.00 Week in Week

7.20 Star Trak. 8.30-8.00 Week in Week Out. 11.15-11.45 Zoo 2000: The New Menagaries (as BB67 8.30pm), 11.45-12.10am Men... and Intimacy (as SBC1 11.15pm), 12.16-12.15 News and weather, SCOTLAND 12.57pm-1.00 The Scottish News. 6.30-6.55 Reporting Scottand, 8.39-9.00 Battlefield Band. 11.46-11.45 News. and weather.

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Film, 11.55 Closedown.

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insurance is spinning away in a useless orbit. Losses, We learn, are now twice as much as all the premiums ever pald, and many underwriters are considering pressing the button that works the

Peter Davalle

5.00 PM: News 5.50 Shipping Forecast 5.55 Weather. 8.00 The Six O'clock News; Financial 6.30 Yes Minister starring Paul Eddington and Nigel Hawthorn in The Quality of Life's

7.00 News. 7.05 The Archers. 7.20 Any Answers? with John Timpson.

7.40 International Assignment.
8.16 What About The Workers? Tel
01-580 4411 (times open from
7.0pm). To lottow up today's
programme at noon, Paul Heiney
swites your queries and

9.00 Does He Take Sugar? A magazine of special interest to disabled listeners and their

3.30 A Wott in Frog's Clothing. Three unlikely stories by Alphonse Alais, read by Christopher Godwin.

Godwin.

9.45 Kaleidoscope. Arts magazine, includes comment on Mother Courage at the Barbican, steaming Judi Denoh; and an interview with Elizabeth Frink.

16.15 A Book at Beditime: "Some Do Not" by Ford Madox Ford (4). Read by Hugh Burden, 10.29 Weather.

10.30 The World Tonight, including 11.00 News Headines.

11.15 The Financial World Tonight.

11.30 Today in Parliament.

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YORKSHIRE As London except: 12.30pm-1.00
Calendar, 1.20 News, 1.30-2.30 Love
Boat, 6.00 Calendar, 8.35 Crossroads, 7.00 Emmerdals Farm, 7.30 Knight
Rider, 8.30 Never the Twain, 9.00-9.30
Bounder, 10.30 Streets of San
Francisco, 1.30 Heaventy Bodies, 12.30am Glosedown.

GRANADA As London except:
1.20pm Granada
Reports. 1.30-2.30 Lovique Man. 3.25
News. 3.30-4.09 Young Doctors, 6.00
This is Your Right. 6.05 Crossroads.
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Farm. 7.30 Knight Rider. 8.30 Newer the
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CENTRAL As London except: 12.25 pre European Folk 7ales. 12.40-1.00 Contact. 1.20 News. 1.30-2.00 Champione. 6.00 Crossrosds, 6.25 News. 7.00 Enrinerdale Ferm. 7.30 Kright Rider. 8.30 Never the Twelfr. 9.00-4.30 Bounder. 10.35 Central Lobby. 11.05 Mysteries of Edgar Wallace.* 12.10am Closedown.

GRAMPIAN As London except: 1.20pes News, 1.30-2.30 Country Practice, 8.00 North Tonight, 8.00 Police News, 6.35 Crossroads, 7.00 Highland Road, 7.30 Knight Rider, 8.30 Up the Elephant, 9.06-9.30 Bounder, 10.30 Kojak, 11.30 About Geelle, 12.00 That's Hollywood, 12.30 and News, Closedown.

12.40am Closedown.

REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

Radio 3

6.55 Weather, 7.00 Nows.
7.05 Morrising Concert: Berkoz's overture Waverley, Bratums's Ballade: Edward Op 10 No 1

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(Michelangell, plano):
Mendelssohn's Symphony No 3
(London Symphony/Abbado). 1
8.00 News.
8.05 Morning Concert (cont): Ireland's
A London Overture; Harty's In
treland (Ulster Orchestra); Grace
Williams's Fantasia on Welsh
Messer: Trend Conform Nursey Tunes (London Symphony); Vaughan Williams's Three Portraits from The England

Three Portrants from The England of Elizabeth (London Symphony), f 9,60 News.

9,05 Albinoni: Concertos à cinque in C Op 9 No 5; in 6 minor, Op 2 No 6; in 8 flat Op No 11; Scere 3 of Princincine (with Zillo, Trimarchi and 1 Solisti Veneti).†

9,50 Lalo: French National Radio Obstate elle illemente Bolisti Orchestra play Namouna Ballet Suite No 1.1

5 Music for Clarinet and Piano:
Soames/Drake Duo play Herbert.
Howels's Sonata; Stravinsky's
Three Pieces for Clarinet; Phyllis
Tate's Prelude, Aria, Interlude
and Finale.†
English Chamber Orchestra: with
Salvatore Accardo (violin). Part
one. Mozart's Dwertimento in D
major, K 251; Violin Concerto No
5 in a major, K 219 † 11.00

Music for Clarinat and Piano:

12.00 Sk: Continents: Foreign radio broadcasts, monitored by the BBC.

12.20 Concert: part two. Mozart's Sinfonia Concertante in E flar, K 364, for violin, viola, orchestra.† 1.00 News. 1.05 Bristol Lunchtime Concert: Neitl

1.05 Bristol Lunctuime Concert: Neitl Sanders Horn Trio. Brahms's Trio in E flat Op 40; Scrubert's Allegratto in C minor, D 915; Don Banks's Horn Trio.†

2.00 Back: Mass in G, BWV 236; Violin Concerto in E, BWV 1042; Cantata No 147, With solosis Lane, Denley, Hall, Jones, City of London Sinfonia and Richard Hickor Singers.†

3.55 Czech Nonet play Alois Haba's Nonet No 2 Op 41; Jan Tausinger's Hutwaldy Nonet.†

3.55 Scottish Season: National Youth Orchestra of Scotland play Mahler's Symphony No 1.1 4.55 News.

News,
S.00 Mainly for Pleasure: another of
Roger Nichols's selections.†
8.30 Bandstand: Lewis Marthyr Band
play Goff Richards's Oceans;
John Ireland's A Downland
Suite

John Ireland's A Downland
Suita.
7.50 Weber and Schubert: Stephen
Varcoe (berhone) and Nigel North
(guitar) perform arrangements of
the composers' songs for guitar
accompaniment.
7.30 Bournemouth Symphony
Drchestra: part one. With Csaba
Erdelyi (viola). Bershal conducts.
Gluck's overture lphigenia in
Autis; Tippett's Rinual Dances
(The Midsummer Marriage).
8.10 The Making of an Author: Garnett
and Conrad. With William Squire
as Edward Garnett and Alfred
Michaelsen as Joseph Corrad.
8.30 Concert: pert two. Berlioz's
Harold in Italy.†
9.30 Santish Season: Elleen
McCallum reads Elspeth Devie's

TSW As London except: 1.20 pm News. 1.30-2.30 QED. 5.15 Gus Honeybur. 5.20-5.45 Crossroeds. 8.00 Today South West. 6.30-7.00 That's My Dog. 8.30-9.30 T J Hooker. 10.34 Yellow Rose, 11.30 Fisheries News. 11.40 Rock of the 70s. 12.10 am Postscript. Closedows.

ULSTER As London sacept: 1.20pm Lonchtime, 1.30-2.30 Laykas Man. 3.30-4.00 Heruts. 6.00 Good Evening Ulster, 6.20 Police Six. 6.35 Crossroads. 7.00 Emmerdale Farm. 7.30 Party with the Rovers. 8.00 Benson. 8.30 Up the Elephant. 9.00-9.30 Bounder. 10.30 Counterpoint. 11.00 Falcon Crest. 11.55 News, Closedown,

BORDER As London except:
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Young Doctors. 5.00 Looksround. 8.35
Crossroads. 7.00 Emmerdale Farm. 7.30
Knight Rider. 8.30 Up the Elephant.
2.00-9.30 Bounder. 10.30 Yellow Rose,
11.30 Strange but True. 12.00 News,
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6.00 News. 6.02 Crossroads. 6.20Northern Life. 7.00 Entmerdale Farm.
7.30 Knight Rider. 8.30 Never the Twain.
9.00-9.30 Bounder. 10.32 Are you taking the Tablets? 11.06 Sweeney. 12.00 Last Words, Closedown.

short story Shoe in the Sand.
18.00 Scottish Season: Music in Our Time. Music from the 1984 Musica Nova festival in Glasgow. Beotro-accustic works by Margaret Sambell, John Lunn, and John-Michael Clarks. 11.05 Citiford Curzon: plano rectal.

Liszt's Gnomenreigen; Valse oublide, No 1: Schuber's Plano Sonata in D, D 850.1

11.57 News. Umil 12.00.

Radio 2

4.00am Tony Geham 1. 5.30 Colin Berry 1.7.30 Ray Moore tincl. 8.31 Racing Bulletin. 10.00 Jammy Young 1. 12.00 Steve Jones 1. 1.95, 2.02 Sports Desk. 2.05 Gloria Hunsilford tincl. 3.02 Sports Desk. 3.30 Music All The Way Incl. 4.02 Sports Desk. 4.05 David Hamilton Incl. 5.05 Sports Desk. 6.00 John Durn tincl. 6.02 Sports Desk. 6.30 The Fosdyke Sana in 24 anisories. 12 6.45 Sport and 6.02 Sports Desk. 6.30 The Foedyke Saga in 24 episodes. 12 6.45 Sport and Classified Results (MF only). 8.00 Wally Whyton introduces Country Concart with Merie Haggard 1. 9.55 Sports Desk. 10.80 The News Huddlines. Roy Hudd. Chris Entmett and June Whitfield. 10.30 Star Sound Extra. Gene Wilder talks to Philip Berguso about his screen consides. 11.00 Brian Matthew presents Round Midnight (stereo from midnight). 1.00em Elli Rennells presents Nightnide 1. 3.00-4.00 Bobby Watson The atto saxophoriset recorded at the Cummings Hotel, Inverness.

Radio 1

5.00em Adrian John. 7.00 Mike Read. 9.00 Simon Bates. 12.00pm Gary Davies ind. 12.30 Newsbeat. 2.30 Steve Wright. 5.00 Bruno Brookes ind. 5.30 Newsbeat. 7.30 Janica Long. 10.00-12.00em Into The Music with Tommy Varces.

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5.00 Newsdeak, 7.00 World News, 7.09
Twenty-Four Hours, 7.30 I've Heard That Song
Before, 7.45 Neswork UK, 2.00 World News,
3.09 Reflections, 8.15 Country Music Profile,
8.20 John Peel 8.00 World News, 9.09 Review
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7,00 Emmerdale Farm, 7,30 Knight
Rider, 8,30 Up the Bephant, 9,0-9,30
Bounder, 10,30 Talk of the West, 11,00
Sweeney, 12,00 Closedown,

HTV WALES As HTV West except 8.00pm-6.35 Wales at Siz. 10.35-11.00 Wales This Week.

TVS 1.20pm-1.30 News. 3.00 Afternoon Club. 3.27-4.00 Young Doctors. 6.09 Coast to Coast. 6.35 Crossroads. 7.00 Emmerdale Farm. 7.30 Knight Ridsr. 8.00 Up the Elephant. 9.00-9.30 Bounder. 10.30 Yellow Rose. 11.30 Sense of the Past. 12.00 Company, Closedown.

SCOTTISH As London except: 1.20 Bodyline. 1.35-29 Ocusiny Practice, 3.00 That's My Dog. 3.30-4.00 Protectors. 8.00 News and Scotland Today. 6.35 Crossroeds. 7.00 Take the High Road. 7.30-8.00 All Kinds of Country. 8.00 Never the Twain. riign Hosci. 7.30-8.00 Ali Kinds of Country. 8.00 Never the Twain. 10.30 Crime Desk. 10.35 It's Andy Cameron. 11.10 Report. 11.30 Late Call. 11.35 Quincy. 12.30 am Closedown. WHAT THE SYMBOLS MEAN

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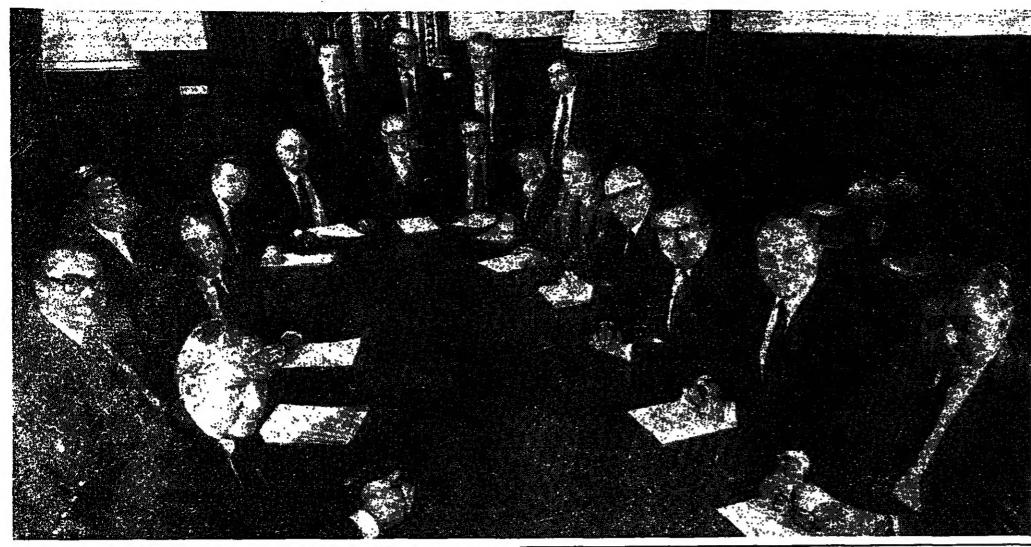
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Labour's Shadow Cabinet lines up for the session



in the shadows: (seated from left) Peter Shore, John Smith, John Cunningham, Michael Jeacher, Peter Archer, Michael Cocks, Lord Oram, Lord Ponsonby, Gwyneth Dunwoody, Stan Orme, Jack Dorman, Denis Healey, Neil

Kinnock and Roy Hattersley. (Standing from left) Barry Jones, Donald Dewar, Giles Radice and John Prescott. Absent: Lord Cledwyn of Pearhos, Gerald Kaufman, Denzil Davies and Robin Cook. (Photograph: Brian Harris).

Newcomers join front bench

Two Labour MPs first elected to the Commons last year have been appointed to the Opposition front bench as additional spokesmen by Mr Neil Kinnock. Mr Anthony Blair, MP for Sedgefield, will speak on Treasury matters, under Mr Roy Hattersley, the shadow chancellor; and Mr Stuart Bell, MP for Middlesbrough, will join Mr Peter Archer as a spokesman on Northern Ireland.

The two men, both barristers on the centre-right of the party, thoroughly at home in the Commons and caught the party leader's eye by their effective harrying of ministers.

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Home Robertson (East Lothian), who becomes an agriculture spokesman and Mr Harry Cowans (Tyne Bridge), who is one of six additional members of Mr John Cunningham's environment team. Both have served in the whips office. The job of senior spokesman

Full list, page 4

held by Mr Eric Heffer before his defeat in the shadow cabinet elections last month, goes to Mr Jeff Rooker, formerly a Treasury spokesman, for whom it represents promotion. Mr Denis Howell

Clive Soley (home affairs), Mr Roger Stott (transport) Mr Martin O'Neill (defence) and Mr Harry Ewing (Scotland) are the other junior spokesmen

given different responsibilities. Mr Brynmor John, who declined a front bench post a year ago, is brought back as senior spokesman on agriculture in recognition of his strong showing in the shadow cabinet election, when he was runner-

up.
The appointment of the right-wing Mr John, a multilateralist former defence spokesman, in place of the left-wing Mr Robert Hughes, upset some on the left, Mr Hughes appears to have declined a more post and goes to the back-

The Duke of Gloucester opens

Moscow warned on MiGs

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expressed concern to Nicaragua. Cuba and the Soviet Union.

Mr Larry Speakes, the White House spokesman, said: "We are watching it closely and would certainly consider the sending of MiGs to Nicaragua an alteration of the balance in the area, if it was true."

Nicaragua. The Administration

• MANAGUA: The Sandinista Government has called on Nicaraguans to be ready to answer a call to arms in the face of "the extreme gravity" of the situation arising out of the reports about possible MiG deliveries (Alan Tomlinson

writes). In an official communiqué. the Government denied that "any ship of any nationality" was transporting or unloading combat aircraft.

Reagan says this is the start of everything

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The only groups supporting Mr Mondale were blacks, Jews. the jobless, the poor and, by a narrow margin, union families. Even 33 per cent of registered Democrats voted for Mr Reagan. The extent of his landslide, particularly his strong showing among registered Democrats and independents, raised the possibility that an historic political realignment may be taking place which could eventually make the Republicans the majority party for the

However, although there has been a fundamental shift to the right, results of the congressional races indicate that many voters have clung to their traditional party allegiances in part to ensure a check on the President's greatly increased executive authority!

As Mr Thomas "Tip" enoug O'Neill, Democratic leader in races.

Reagan is a very popular man, but the voters sent Democrats to Congress as a safety net for the American public." Republi-cans retained control of the Senate, but with a reduced majority. They lost in Illinois, lowa, and Tennessee, but won in Kentucky, Their new majority will be 53-47 compared with 55-45.

Republicans made gains in the House, but failed to recreate the working majority of conservative Democrats and Republicans which had pushed the President's economic programme through Congress during his first two years in office.

Latest results showed that Republicans could pick up 16 seats, well short of their 26-seat goal. Although some Scnators rode to victory on Mr Reagan's coat-tails, they were not long enough to help much in House

Frank Johnson at the end of the trail

Now, who is going to win in 1988?

Washington, being the least typical American city, is the displaying as they went imbest place from which to mense sophistication, foreobserve an American election

of all America. Also, thanks to a thousand sociologists and special documentary features. the typical American city. The only other competitor for election night was New York. But in New York, an American friend confided. I would find no one interested in any of the races other than the President's and New York's. The Harrimans in question were the distinugished political and diplomatic family. They are not interested in who is winning in Tennessee. They know less about Tennessee than they do about London.

Washington, however, is a city of people much concerned with such places as Tennessee or at least a city of people who. for professional purposes. must behave as if they are. As dusk fell on election day, reports from New York had the city going as frantically about its evening pleasures as on any other night.

Clientele less elevated

Here in Washington the sirects were all but descried. It was 7pm. The polls had closed in only a few states, but it was time for the networks to begin manoeuvres. All Washington gathered before its screens.

We all fell silent. About an hour later the streets were full again. Percentages and totals, based on fragments of votes in distant states, all of it baffling to the foreigner, apparently meant that Mr Reagan had won overwhelmingly; that the "coat tail effect" was a factor, but not as a big a factor as some had forecast; that in North Carolina (where had taken place what all experts said was the dirtiest Senate contest in the history of democracy) it was "too close to call; that the Republicans had done better than expected in the House of Representatives; that the dirty contest in North Carolina was now no longer too close to call, but could be called in favour of someone dreadful called Senator Helms: and that we could

all go to dinner or to bed. "There's nothing there we didn't know already," a Republican, who worked at the State Department, assured me. "When did you know it", asked. By about mid-morning apparently. How did he know it? "The party's private exit polls," he confided.

People began to drift away, knowlege and expertise. Car doors slammed, taxis were summoned. "Are you going to the Harrimans, or the Pisces thing", People cried about the streets. "So are we. Good. great, see you there. Take

parties in Georgetown which. if the city's industry is politics, is the city's industrial suburb. renderers of great service to the Democratic Party. Pisces was the most fashionable Georgetown nightclub whose contribution to America is not as yet on the Harrimans' scale, but which hoped to make a start by being the scene of the election night's best party. The befuddled foreigner found himself at both, almost at the

elevated

At the Harrimans, there were grey, elderly gentlemen who doubtless had forged Nato, devised the Marshal Plan, and saved Europe from ruin in the great age of the Democratic party. They mused without rancour at the disaster that had befallen it

The widow of an important Senator inquired of me: "Would you believe it? Montana!" I had no idea what she was talking about, and agreed that it was indeed unbeliev-

The clientele at Pisces was less elevated. I recognized Mr Andy Warhol. He did not seem worried about Montana. People had turned away from the television screen and were chattering. As if consious that they had lost their audience, the television experts chat-tered back desperately. From time to time, one could hear various of them saying that it was not a mandate.

To the outsider, it seemed extremely mandatory. By mid-morning of the following day. other experts were found to say that of course it was a mandate.

We made for the airport and London as the networks chattered on, no one listened and the subject turned to who was likely to win in 1988.

THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

Today's events

Royal engagements

The Queen holds an Investiture at Buckingham Palace, il. and later Jubilee of CRUSE, Royal Albert

The Duke of Edinburgh, President of the National Playing Fields Association, presents the President's Certificates at Buckingham Palace, 10: and later chairs the British Commonwealth Ex-Services League Council meeting at Buckingham Palace, 3; he then attends a dinner in aid of the Duke of Edinburgh's | Gloucester visits Princess Helena Award Scheme, Ritz Club, Piccadil-College, Temple Dinsley, Hitchia,

(to be spokesman on sport), Mr

brance at St Margaret's Church, Westminster, 11.55 The Prince of Wales inaugurates a

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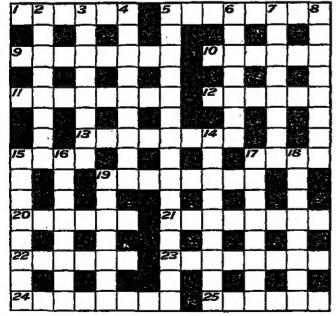
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- 11 Role in which he took the lead 12 Man reverses alphabetical order 14 Chinese, perhaps, or aliens
- 13 He causes trouble when a soldier volunteers to run (8)
 15 One owed a Pole 3712 gallons 16 One owed a Pole 3712 gallons 17 Grunts in putting ball in pocket, and pays out (6.2).
 18 Unfortunately not a diet which
- fishy (4). 17 Drag a river containing seaweed . 17 Prior's climbing mountain to
- Ariel not free in this story (8). 20 "Show his eyes, and heart" (Macheth) (6).
- 21 Rumbles one with a point perhaps in workers' organizations (8) 22 Said to be pinched from the
- branch (6). 23 Inspector was formerly an underground worker (8). 24 Forward commander has de-
- seried oh dear! (8). 25 Supports depression in some

DOWN

2 Cattle disease from the Volga?

Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother visits the Field of Remem-

viewfinder for the disabled erected by the South West Branch of the Royal Town Planning Institute on The Princess of Wales visits the

the Caravan Camping Holiday Show, Earls Court, 11: and later attends a preview party for the Royal Institute of British Architects exhibition The Art Of The Architect. RIBA, 66 Portland Place, London The Duchess of Gloucester attends a charity concert at the Royal Festival Hall, 7.20. The Duke of Kent, pouron of the

Leukaemia Research Fund, visits the fund's new Research Centre, Royal Marsden Hospital, 11.30; and later attends the Royal Caledonian Schools' annual dinner at Bushey, The Duchess of Kent onens

Scheme II of the Hartlepool General Hospital Development, 11.50; and later visits the Finchale Training College, Durham, 3.10. New exhibitions

Painting, sculpture and book illustration by Ota Janeček; National Museum of Wales, Main Building, Park Place. Cardiff: Mon to Sat 10 to 5, Sun 2.30 to 5; (ends Music

Concert by the Northern Sinfo-nia, St Cuthbert's Church, Carlisle, 1.30 Concert by the Hull Choral Union Orchestra, City Hall, Hall,

Concert by the City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra, Town Hall, Birmingham, 7.30 Recital by Steven Isseriis (cello) and Paul Coker (piano): New Hall, Winchester College Music School, Culver Road, Winchester, 7.30.

Recital by Erika Klemperer (violin) and Gordon Back (piano); Bootham School Hall, York, 7.30. Concert by the Neill Sanders Horn Trio. St. George's. Brandon Hill, Bristof, I Concert by the London Mozart Players, St David's Hall, Cardiff,

4 Down which our brainy types Talks, lectures The Architecture of Sir Edwin Lutyens by Dr Timothy Hudson; Pallant House Exhibition Gallery. We stand for these racial articles Pining for poor Nina Grey (8). The City of the Grand Tour by 8 Lift for the Spanish gul on the

The Worlds Longest Civilisation Ancient Egypt by Ivison Wheatley: Walker Hall. South Beach, Troom, Strathelyde, 7 30

Anniversaries

born in London, 1656.
Deaths: John Milton, London
1674: Thomas Bewick, woo engraver. Gateshead. Durham. 1828; Cesar Franck, Pans. 1890; Francis Parkman, historian Jamaica Plains, Massachussets, 1893: Victorian Sardou, dramatist, Paris, 1908; Ivan Bunin, poet. Nobel Laureate 1933, Paris, 1953; Edgar Varèse, composer, New York, 1965.

Parliament today

Commons (2.30): Continuation of debate on the Queen's Speech. Topic: Health, social security and Lords (3): Continuation of debate

on the Queen's Speech. Topic:

New books - paperback

The Literary Editor's selection of interesting books published this week:

A Grammar of the English Language in a Series of Letters, by William Cobbett, Introduction by Robert Burchfield (Oxford, £3.50).

An Introduction to Chaucer, by Derek Brewer (Longman, £3.96).

Daughters of Copper Woman, Canadian Indian myths, by Anne Cameron (The Women's Press, £2.95).

E. F. Benson, Mr Benson Remembered in Rye, and in the world of Tilling, by Cynthia and Tony Reavell, preface by Steven Runciman (Martello Bookshop, £5.95).

Giuttony, Pride, Lust and Other Sins from the World of Books, by Michael Tumer and Michael Geare, foreword by Harold Macmillian (Collins, £4.95).

The Devil Drives, A Life of Sir Richard Burton, by Fawn M, Brodie (Norton, £3.50).

The Finest Swordsman in All France, A Celebration of the Cliche, by Keith Miles (Sphere, £1.95).

The First World War 1914-18, by John Terraine (Papermac, £4.95). The Killing Fields, by Christopher Hudson (Pan. £1.75). The Middle-Aged Men on the Flying Trapeze, A collection of Short Pieces, Mainly Humorous but with a Few Kind of Sad Ones Mixed in, by James Thurber (Methuen,

The Midlands: A5: Contraflow SE of Tamworth. Al: Contraflow between Grantham and Newark N of Gonerby Moor, A52: Single lane traffic with lights between Notting-ham and Grantham at Muston

Bends. The North: A6026: Roadworks on Wakefield Rd at Sowerby Bridge, single alternate line traffic. A1: Single alternate time traine. At:
Contraflow along Morpeth bypass at
Fairmoor Bridge. A56: Gtr Manchester: Sewer work in Cross St.
Sale: single lane traffic; signed

Wales and West: A361: Temporary signals W of Taunton, Somerset. A494: On the Dolgellau to Bala Rd; working hours on the stretch between Dolgellau and Rhydymain. A470: Temporary lights. 24 hours. at Glanconwy on the Llanwrst to

Scotland: A9: Temporary lights at Brora. A8: Outside lane closed 1 mile E of Shawhead interchange with the A725 to the Chapelhall interchange at the B799. Information supplied by the AA

Graduate careers

The Association of Graduate Careers Advisory Services (AGCAS) has published a list of seventy raduate Careers Information Book lets ranging from Accountancy to Youth Work. The booklets are available free, from your university or polytechnic careers offices, of direct from Central Services Unit. Crawford House, Precinct Centre. Manchester, M13 9EP, at a cost of

The pound

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The Papers

The Daily Express, commenting on the questioning of Mr Heseltine yesterday, on the Belgrano affair and the missing log book. Says: First, why should the Government, or Defence Ministry want to missing this technically limited log while this technically limited log while leaving the Captain's log -containing all the really vital information - sale and sound?" It adds: "The Government's handling of the Belgrano aftermath has often left much to be desired. The latest development must be cleared up wiftly, or it will give the Belgrano

bores a field day." The Dally Star says that it is because there has been so many "confusing and contradictory" statements on the Belgrano affair that the loss of a log book has exploded with such force".
The Daily Mirror, however, says:

"the loss - or theft - of the log of the submarine HMS Conqueror is yet another security blunder. When will we ever learn."

Phone the Shuttle

By dialing America on 010 1 900 410 6272. British space enthusiasts can listen to live conversatio between mission control and the US space shuttle Discovery which was launched on an eight day mission vesterday. A three minute cheap rate call will cost £1.73 inc.VAT.

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The wording of Rules 2 and 3 has been expanded from earlier versions for clarification purposes. The Game isself is not effected and will continue to be played in exactly the same Rules will appear agein in Friday's paper

Weather forecast

An area of low pressure is expected near SW England tomorrow morning and will drift slowly north into the Irish Sea.

6 am to midnight

London, SE, central S, SW England, East Anglie, E, W Midlands, Channel Islands, S, N Water: Cloudy with some outbreaks of rain at first, becoming

outreaks of rain at first, becoming brighter with scattered showers; wind Evening 5 moderate; max temp 13C (55F).

E. NW, central N. NE England, Lake District, Isle of Man, Northern freland: Dry with tog patches at first, becoming cloudy with outbreaks of rain; wind Emoderate, locally tresh; max temp 12C (54F).

(54F).
Borders, Edinburgh, Dundee, SW Scotland, Glasgow, Argyll: Misty with hill log; outbreaks of rain later; wind NE moderate; max temp 10C (50F).
Aberdeen, Central Highlands, Moray Firth, NE, NW Scotland, Orkney: Rather leads with NE cloudy, hall log; rain at times; harry cloudy, hall log; rain at times; wind NE moderate or fresh; max temp 8C (46F).

Shetland: Bright or sunny intervals, scattered showers; wind NE moderate; max temp 8C (46F).

Outlook for tomorrow and Seturday:

drier intervals, night fog patches; rather SEA PASSAGES; S North Bee, Strait of Onyer: Wind S moderate or healt, becoming storing for a sine; opcasional rain; visibility moderate nea moderate. English Channet Wind S moderate showers; visibility menty good; see moderate becoming stight. St George's Channet Wind opclorid: freach or strong; rain then showers; visibility moderate; see moderate or rough; Itals Sea: Wind E itestr or strong, becoming opcionic; occasional rain; visibility moderate or poor; see moderate or rough.

Changeable: showers but also brighter,

Full Moon: 5.43 pm.

Lighting-up time

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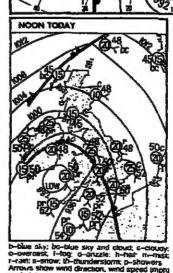
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Yesterday: Temp: max 6 am to 6 pm. 14C (57F); min 6 pm to 6 am, 7C (45F); Humidity: 6 pm, 98 per cent: Ruin: 24hr to 5 pm. 0.08m. Sun: 24hr to 6 pm. 1.0. Ber, meen see level, 6 pm. 1003.8 militars 1.000 militars = 28,53h.

Highest and lowest Yesterday: Highest day temperature: Chivenor 16C (61F) lowest day mass Avientore 1C (34F) highest rainfalt. Aberdeen 113 in. high sanishine: Penzamet 4.5 hrs. Some Times Pursions cards include minor magnitis. In the instructions on the reverse side. These cards are not invalidated.

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